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JOSEPH WILLIAMSON was born in Belfast, Maine, on the 5th of October, 1828. He traced his descent from Timothy [1] Williamson of Marshfield, a freeman of Plymouth Colony in 1657, who served in King Philip's War, and was buried August 6, 1676. His wife was Mary Howland. George [2] Williamson, a son of Timothy, was born in Marshfield in 1675, and died in Middleboro, Mass., about 1742. His wife was Mary Crisp. Caleb,[3] son of George, was born in Harwich, Mass., in 1715, and removed to Canterbury, Conn., where he died August 9, 1795. He married Sarah Ransom of Middleboro, who died April 18, 1792, at the age of seventy. George,[4] son of Caleb, born in Middleboro, January 15, 1754, was a soldier in the Revolution, until the close of the war, when he took up his residence in Woodstock, Vt., where he was esteemed as farmer, innkeeper and selectman of the town. Thence emigrating to Maine, shortly before its separation from Massachusetts, he died in Bangor, October 10, 1822. His wife, who survived him, was Mary, daughter of William Foster of Canterbury, to whom he was married July 9, 1778. Her ancestor was Reginald Foster, who came, it is said, from Exeter, England, to Ipswich, Mass., about 1638. She was noted for her good sense and for her benevolent works. Possessed of phenomenal memory, especially of the holy scriptures, she left to her family a voluminous diary bearing testimony to that unquestioning faith in the Lord which sustained her through the trials and vicissitudes of a somewhat nomadic life. Of her eight children, the three sons who reached maturity preceded their father in his removal from Woodstock to Maine. These were William Durkee, later known as the historian of the State; George, who lived in Pittston, where he died in 1860; and Joseph, who came to Maine at nearly the same time with his brothers.

Joseph[5] Williamson was born in Canterbury, August 5, 1789, and graduated at the University of Vermont in 1812. After serving the

* Mr. Williamson died June 13, 1903, just after finishing this memoir of his brother

usual legal apprenticeship, he came to Belfast, and at once established himself as a lawyer. In 1820, Mr. Williamson was appointed County Attorney for Hancock County, an office which he again filled for Waldo County, when that County was formed in 1827. From 1822 until 1832 he was Postmaster; and was elected to the Senate in 1832 and 1833, being its president during his last term. For several years he edited a local paper, was interested in politics, and delivered frequent speeches, lectures and addresses, and took a willing hand in every scheme for the education and improvement of his town and its inhabitants. In 1839 he received from Brown University the honorary degree of Master of Arts. Resolutions passed at a meeting of the bar of the Supreme Judicial Court, after his decease, make mention of "his indefatigable devotion to his profession, and of the esteem in which he was held and of his unvarying amenity of manners."

June 24, 1824, he married Caroline, daughter of William Cross of Newburyport, Mass. She was a descendant in the fourth generation from Ralph Cross of that town. In the old church there, where lie the bones of Rev. George Whitfield, may still be seen in the pulpit a bible bearing an inscription which declares it to be "the greeting of Mr. Ralph Cross, August 4, 1746." Ralph had a son who bore the same name. He, with his brother Stephen, were large shipbuilders before the Revolution, and when that crisis came both were unswerving in their support of the patriotic cause. Both went to the front. Ralph was commissioned Lieutenant of the Essex Regiment, and with his command took part in the memorable battle which occasioned the surrender of Burgoyne. His son William, for many years in business and for a long time holding the office of Surveyor of the Port of Newbury, was the father of Caroline named above. She died June 22, 1852, leaving four children, Joseph, William Cross, George Ralph, and Caroline Cross.

Joseph[6] Williamson, Junior, was fitted for college at the public schools and at the Academy of his native town, and graduated from Bowdoin College in 1849. Upon leaving Brunswick, he became a student at law in the office of his father, was in due time admitted to the bar, and began the practice of his profession in 1852. He was at first associated with, and finally succeeded, his father in business, thus in their joint lives they completed a continuous professional career in the same town, on the same spot, and under the same sign, of nearly ninety years. In 1853, Belfast became a city, and Mr. Williamson received from Governor Crosby the appointment of Judge of its Police Court, an office to which he was again chosen, the last time by the unanimous vote of his fellow citizens. In this official capacity he administered the oath of office to Hon. Ralph Cross Johnson, its first mayor, and to the members-elect of the first city government, a duty which, by a sort of tacit custom, he continued to perform every successive year as long as he lived.

From the day when his professional life began, Mr. Williamson was a hard working man, unsparing of pains and patience in behalf of a numerous clientage. The Maine Reports bear witness, from the beginning of his career to the end, to the able and conscientious labor which he brought to the preparation of his cases, as well as to the great variety of legal problems which came before him for consideration. The practice of law, during the greater part of his professional life, was not, as now, divided into specialties. The country lawyer was expected to be learned in every branch of his business, whether law, equity, or admiralty. Mr. Williamson's abilities brought remunerative employment, as well as friends who gave constant proofs of their never failing confidence. For several years he was elected and served as City Solicitor. His opinions upon matters of highways, of taxes and of the rights and obligations of towns and their officers, were greatly valued. Within the last decade, owing to the rapid rise in value of lands in Islesboro' and adjacent sea-side resorts, his services were in frequent demand in the examination of titles, especially such as involved obscure and difficult questions of fact and law. In this field his researches were complete and exhaustive, especially so because they were in line with those local historical inquiries which had been the delight of his life.

Such was his work. His recreation was found, from his earliest years, in the domain of history and biography. In boyhood he had prepared and written a history of Belfast, which formed the nucleus of his later work. His first venture in print was in 1852, when he completed and had published the "Maine Register and Reference Book," giving an account of the institutions, corporations and business interests of the State. The enthusiasm which he brought to historical topics is amply displayed throughout the numerous articles which he contributed for publication to the Maine Historical Society, of which organization he was for many years Corresponding Secretary, and the meetings of which he rarely failed to attend from the time he was elected a member in 1850. Among these are the Journal of Governor Thomas Pownall with Notes; Castine and the old Coins found there; General Henry Knox; Capital Trials in Maine; Brigadier General Waldo; The British Occupation of Penobscot; Traces of the Northmen; Sir John Moore at Castine; Martin Pring; Memorials of Father Rale; Where is Columbus buried; The Professional Tours of John Adams in Maine; and the paper read before the society at the unveiling of the bust of Longfellow. They number about seventy formal contributions.

He also prepared articles, upon a great variety of subjects, for the Bangor Historical Magazine, the Maine Historical and Genealogical Register, and for the Republican Journal and other newspapers. In 1870 he gave an elaborate historical address at the centennial of the settlement of Belfast; and in 1894 he was the orator on the occa-

sion of services held in commemoration of the installation of Rev. William Frothingham as Minister of the First Parish (Unitarian) Church of that town, at which he, as well as his father, had been life-long attendants.

In 1877, Mr. Williamson published his History of Belfast, a work which had been for twenty-five years in preparation, and which gives in great detail a complete story of the life of a New England town, from its settlement down to 1875. In the compiling of this volume, he followed the methods which were adopted by his uncle in gathering materials for his history of Maine. He went to original records and documents for information. Every statement of fact was made upon the best evidence. Not the smallest event was left to conjecture. A second volume of this history, bringing the account down to the close of the century, had been completed by the author, and awaits publication.

But the *magnum opus* of his later years was the Bibliography of Maine. This consists of two octavo volumes of 670 pages each, giving, with the exception of certain public, municipal and legal reports, the full title of every book, pamphlet and reputable magazine article which has been printed in, or which has reference to, Maine; and all, also, of which the authors were, at the time of writing or publishing, residents within the State. A glance at its eleven thousand titles is sufficient to disclose the labor required for searching after and collecting the mass of information stored away in this reservoir, no less the good judgment and care required in the classification of subjects. Some idea of its value may be obtained from the lists which it contains of writings devoted to the Cilley Duel, Charlevoix, the voluminous literary progeny of Jacob Abbott, and the countless titles relating to incidents in the history of Maine. It is both a digest and a dictionary. These volumes were printed in 1896, under the auspices of the Maine Historical Society, and met with a gratifying approval especially from scholars, at home as well as abroad. In the year following their appearance, the author received from his *alma mater* the honorary degree of Litt.D.

This work was, as the preface expresses it, a "labor of love." Neither for this nor for any other of the productions of his pen did the author receive any pecuniary reward. He might have said of himself, as did Agassiz, that he "had no time to give to the making of money"; but he seemed always to have time for works intended for posterity, "which delight in details." He was no recluse. He was generous of himself, of his time and of his historical treasures. His correspondence was large, but he never neglected it. He was never too busy to enjoy the society of friends and the amenities of daily life. No one ever wrote to him concerning an historical question without receiving a prompt and courteous reply, sometimes involving much time and study. No brother attorney ever consulted him upon a vexed question without finding him ready and

Belfast, April 2nd. 1896.

Dear William:

The preface to a book is the last part usually written, and the most difficult to write. I have dictated the inclosed, this afternoon, which I wish you would read, and make any amendments or additions which seem proper. It is quite brief, because two pages of abbreviations are to follow, and because I think a long preface wearies one. I had prepared a preliminary essay upon the history and condition of literature in Maine, but as my work largely exceeds the size originally contemplated, it is omitted.

I am approaching the close of my labors; only fifty pages remaining unprinted. The whole number of titles exceeds eleven thousand, and the cross-references are nearly as many, besides notes, which are uncounted. Printers are so unreliable, I hardly expect the publication to take place until the first of May.

You have not written for some time. I hope you have regained your health, although the recent capricious weather has tried even one who is well.

Yours,

Joseph Williamson

eager to devote his best knowledge to the matter at hand. Especially by his friends among the younger members of the bar, he was beloved for his kindliness and helpful, encouraging words. He was incapable of dissimulation. The same absolute truth which is manifest in his written work characterized his daily duties. He loved music. He delighted in the old melodies, in the time-honored hymns of the past. He took pleasure in his nightly play of whist; but did not, like "Mrs. Sarah Battles," insist upon the "rigor of the game."

In the memorial service held in the Supreme Judicial Court after his death, Chief Justice Wiswall said:—

"He has argued many cases before the law court, and I know of my personal experience that it has always been a pleasure when a case was taken up for examination after argument to find a brief in the well-known handwriting, as clear and uniform as if engraved, of Brother Williamson. The members of the court always knew that his brief would be instructive and valuable and that every legitimate argument that could be made in support of his position would be made. But it always seemed to me that his most distinguishing and marked characteristic was his uniform courteousness and politeness. He was always a gentleman in the best sense of the word. While ever zealous in the protection of his clients' rights and in presenting his side of the case to court or jury, he never forgot his dignity or his position as an officer of the court to the extent of entering into unseemly wrangles with the opposing lawyer."

Mr. Williamson, at the time of his death, was the oldest living member of the Waldo Bar Association, and for many years had been its President. He was also President of its Library Association, to the establishment and support of which he had devoted his usual public spirit. He was elected a member of the New-England Historic Genealogical Society in 1874, and for many years was its Vice-President for Maine; was Vice-President of the Maine Society of the Sons of the Revolution; a member of the American Antiquarian Society; the American Historical Association; honorary member of the Maine Genealogical Society; corresponding member of the Massachusetts, Vermont, Wisconsin, Bangor and Buffalo Historical Societies, and of The Colonial Society of Massachusetts.

When the Belfast Free Library was established, in 1887, he was made President of the Board of Trustees. This office he filled with never-failing energy until his death, devoting himself with most assiduous attention to the interests of the library, and visiting it every day.

He was a devoted lover of his native town and of all the country around it. He loved its beautiful bay across which lay the old town of Castine, rich in romantic history, and the far away hills of Mount Desert beyond it, which are associated with the earliest civilization of the continent. His knowledge was unfailing upon all local matters. Like Sir Walter Scott, he had a story for every hill and hamlet, and like him, was never weary of recalling incidents and

traditions concerning the early settlers. Facts which to others seemed dull and unimportant were to him full of suggestions. A train of events followed one after the other like fancies, in his mind, but were always based upon a substratum of truth. With all his fondness for plain unvarnished truths, he had a keen relish for fiction. For the poets, the classic English novelists and writers—especially Johnson, Goldsmith and Thackeray—he had a life-long affection. He never forgot anything which he had once read. Characters, conversations, incidents long past, never seemed to pass out of his grasp, but remained and lived with him as realities.

He was married, October 22, 1857, to Ada Hortense Peirce, daughter of Waldo T. Peirce of Bangor. She died March 19, 1872, leaving a son, who inherits his father's name and profession, and two daughters, all of whom are living.

The last weeks of his life were saddened by the death of his youngest brother, George Ralph Williamson, who had but lately retired from business in New York and returned to live in his native town, where he died September 22, 1902. To a friend who came to condole with him and who asked him what he would do to bear up under this sorrow, Mr. Williamson replied, simply, "I still have my pen." And so for a little time he went manfully on.

On December 4, 1902, without premonition and without pain, in his own room, with his daughter and loving friends about him, he suddenly passed away.

"How happy is he born and taught
That serveth not another's will;
Whose armor is his honest thought,
And simple truth his utmost skill.

This man is free from servile bands
Of hope to rise or fear to fall;
Lord of himself though not of lands,
And, having nothing, yet hath all."

SAMUEL WALKER, OF WOBURN, MASS., AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS.

By Arthur G. Loring and William R. Cutter, Esqrs., of Woburn.

1. Samuel[1] Walker died in Woburn, Nov. 6, 1684. He was aged 44, or thereabouts, in 1661, as per affidavit of himself and his son Samuel[2] Walker, made April 2, 1661.* He was first mentioned in a Woburn tax

* John Johnson *vs.* Michael Bacon, both of Woburn, *Middx. Co. Court Files.* A small monograph by Joseph Burbeen Walker, Esq., of Concord, N. H., contains the argument to prove that the Woburn Walkers, so called, were not descendants of Capt. Augustine Walker of Charlestown, Mass. The author cites the researches of Hon.

list in 1655, and held various town offices. In the Middlesex Co. Court Files is the following petition relating to his business:—

"To the honoured Magistrates assembled at ye County Court houlden at Cambridge

The petition of Samuell Walker of ye Town of Wooburn Humblee Sheweth That whereas ye petitioner not longe since by advise of his friends did set upon the trade of stilling strong waters, and for y^t end by reason of his wife s weaknes, purchased a place near ye meeting House where in buildinge, and other Vtinsels for ye work, he hath expended about Two hundred pounds wch would be of little use unto him should he not goe on with ye Trade and more eSpeciallie seeing ye petition: is resolued through Gods assistance to prevent as much as in him lies the too frequent abuse thereof, nor shall he be wantinge to obserue ye bounds and rules for; should you be pleased to grant him license for the retailinge of Liquors.

The premises considered we whos names are underwritten, humblee request this honoured Court that they would be pleased to grant ye petitioner license not onlie to still, But allso to sell stronge water by ye quart so long as he shall observe ye wholsam laws and rules y^t the Supreme power, and this Court Shall set for p^r uenting ye abuse thereof That so we may not be driven to goe to more remote Towns for a supply of our necesitie hearin, when we maie (if you shall be pleased to grant ye request) haue Supply at home." The following citizens of Woburn signed this petition: John Knight, John Wyman, John Mousall, Jr., John Cutler, Michael Lepingwell, Joseph Wright, Francis Kendall, Jonathan Thompson, John Wilson, Joseph Carter, Robert Peirce, Isaac Cole, John Carter, James Converse, Thomas Fuller, Henry Brooks, William Johnson, Matthew Johnson, Francis Wyman, William Simonds, William Locke, Samuel Blodgett, George Reed, William Clark, George Bruce, John Farrar, Edward Johnson, John Wright, Edward Converse, John Mousall, Sr., James Thompson, Thomas Peirce, John Russell, Edward Winn, Bartholomew Pearson, Allen Converse, John Wright, John Tidd, Moses Cleaveland, Matthew Smith, Philip Knight, Joseph Knight.

The answer to this petition is found in the records of the County Court, the petition being granted in April, 1662. Henry Summers succeeded him as innkeeper in Woburn, in 1682.

Samuel Walker was for a time a resident of Reading, and all of his children by his first wife were born there. The Reading church records state that, at some time after March 26, 1650, he was admitted to the fellowship of the church, and his wife with him. His connection with Reading ceases in 1654.*

Beyond the above particulars we know nothing of his first wife, but in a deed dated April 8, 1678 (and unrecorded), he says at the close, "I, the abovenamed Sam^ll Walker, have hereunto put my hand and seal . . . . also Ann Walker, in her acknowledgment of her consent to this deed, hath put to her hand and seal." †

Edward F. Johnson of Woburn, in support of his position, which, so far as the first Samuel Walker is concerned, we believe to be correct. On the subject that the Woburn Walkers were descendants of Capt. Richard Walker of Lynn, we have no opinion to express. For further authorities on the early history of the Woburn Walkers, see *Woburn Town Records*, vol. 1, pp. 27, 34, 63, 112, etc.; vol. 2, pp. 164, etc.; vol. 3, pp. 93, 110, 135, 159, etc. Also, Edward F. Johnson's *Woburn Record of Marriages*, part 3, p. 291, note, etc. Sewall's *Hist. of Woburn* contains some errors regarding this family, which are corrected in this article.

* Hon. Edward F. Johnson, in his "Abstracts of Early Woburn Deeds," p. 78, corrects a prevalent error regarding Samuel Walker's admission to this church. He was not dismissed from the Boston church.

† Wyman MSS., Woburn Public Library, 10:77.

Ann Walker, the above, was his second wife. She was the widow of Arthur Alger of Scarborough, and daughter of Giles Roberts, also of that place. She died in Woburn, Mar. 21, 1716.*

This Ann Walker was the widow alluded to in the third volume of Woburn town records, as teaching school in that town: "The Widow Walker is appointed to be a school dame for the year 1686, and to have ten shillings for her labor as the other had."

After Samuel Walker's death, his sons Samuel, of Woburn, and Joseph, of Billerica, were appointed administrators of his estate.

Children by first wife, born in Reading:

2. i. SAMUEL,[2] b. June 28, 1643; d. Jan. 18, 1703.
3. ii. JOSEPH, b. Oct. 10, 1645; d. July, 1729.
iii. HANNAH, b. Dec. 15, 1647; d. Apr. 28, 1648.
iv. HANNAH, b. June 28, 1648; m. Jan. 27, 1674, James Thompson; d. Feb. 4, 1685–6, in Woburn. He d. Sept. 4, 1693, æ. 44.
4. v. ISRAEL, b. June 28, 1648; d. Apr. 20, 1719.
5. vi. JOHN, b. Feb. 14, 1650; d. Jan. 3, 1723–4.
vii. BENJAMIN, b. June 4, 1651; d. Apr. 26, 1653.

Children by second wife, Ann, born in Woburn:

6. viii. ISAAC, b. Nov. 1, 1677.
7. ix. EZEKIEL, b. Mar. 5, 1679.

2. SAMUEL[2] WALKER (*Samuel*[1]), born in Reading, June 28, 1643; died in Woburn, Jan. 18, 1703, aged 61. He married first, Sept. 10, 1662, Sarah, daughter of William and Mabel Reed of Woburn. She died Nov. 1, 1681; and he married second, Apr. 18, 1692, Abigail (Carter) Fowle, daughter of Capt. John Carter and widow of Lieut. James Fowle. She married third, Dea. Samuel Stone, of Cambridge Farms, or Lexington, and died in Woburn, May 11, 1718, aged 71. Samuel Walker held many local offices: ensign, deacon, etc. His will, dated July 5, 1699, was probated Feb. 15, 1703. His wife Abigail and sons Timothy and Samuel were then living. Besides these, his will mentioned Ruth and Edward, the children of his son John; Sarah, Judith, Abigail, Samuel and Hannah, children of his son Samuel; and Edward, Sarah, Esther, Samuel and Abigail, children of his daughter Sarah Johnson.

Children, all by first wife:

i. EDWARD,[3] b. Oct. 12, 1663; sergeant in Capt. Noah Wiswall's company, in active military service, 1690; killed on Sunday, July 6, 1690, in battle with the Indians at Wheelwright's Pond, in Lee, N. H.
8. ii. JOHN, b. July 2, 1665; d. Apr. 29, 1699.
9. iii. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 25, 1667; d. Sept. 28, 1744.
iv. SARAH, b. Mar. 6, 1670; m. Jan. 12, 1686–7, Edward Johnson; d. May 31, 1704. He d. Aug. 7, 1725.
10. v. TIMOTHY, b. June 6, 1672; d. June 19, 1706.

3. JOSEPH[2] WALKER (*Samuel*[1]), born in Reading, Oct. 10, 1645; died in Billerica, July, 1729. He married, Dec. 15, 1669, Sarah, daughter of Lieut. John and Sarah (Nutt) Wyman of Woburn. She died Jan. 26, 1728–9. For children, see Hazen's *History of Billerica*, pp. 152–153.

4. ISRAEL[2] WALKER (*Samuel*[1]), born in Reading, June 28, 1648; died in Woburn, Apr. 20, 1719. He married first, Susanna, daughter of

* For confirmation, see REGISTER, vol. 29, pp. 270–272; *Middx. Co. Deeds*, 26: 488–489.

Dea. Henry and Phebe (Richardson) Baldwin of Woburn (see REGISTER, vol. 52, p. 53). She died Mar. 7, 1694; and he married second, Dec. 10, 1696, Hannah, widow of Lieut. Gershom Flagg. She died Mar. 29, 1724. Israel Walker held military office, and was called ensign. Lieut. Flagg was killed in battle with the Indians, in 1690. The will of Israel Walker, dated Jan. 13, 1718–19, was probated May 29, 1719. It mentions his wife Hannah; his sons Henry, Nathaniel, Israel (of Boston) and Edward; daughter Phebe Reed; sons-in-law Ebenezer Locke and Isaac Kendall; the children of his daughter Phebe Reed; his daughter Kendall's three children, namely, Isaac, Hannah, and another, the "youngest" of her children (apparently unnamed); and his grandson Ebenezer Locke.

Children by first wife:

i. ELIZABETH,[3] d. Jan. 21, 1682.
ii. ISRAEL, b. Sept. 29, 1672; d. Nov. 1, 1683.
iii. SUSANNA, b. Mar. 1, 1674; m. Oct. 18, 1697, Ebenezer Locke; d. June 13, 1699. He d. Dec. 24, 1723, æ. 49.
iv. PHEBE, b. Mar. 11, 1676; m. Joseph Reed (see REGISTER, vol. 52, p. 52–53); d. Apr. 7, 1743. He d. Dec. 26, 1741.
11. v. HENRY, b. Feb. 1, 1679.
vi. HANNAH, b. Apr. 26, 1681; d. May 8, 1681.
12. vii. NATHANIEL, b. Apr. 15, 1682.
viii. ISRAEL, b. July 26, 1684; of Boston, in 1719; d. before 1723.*
ix. HANNAH, b. Sept. 24, 1686; m. Oct. 9, 1706, Isaac Kendall (see REGISTER, Vol. 39, p. 20).
x. ABIGAIL, b. Sept. 26, 1688.
xi. EDWARD, b. Nov. 6, 1690; m. Mary ——; had child, *Mary*,[4] b. Apr. 6, 1720.

5. JOHN[2] WALKER (*Samuel*[1]), born in Reading, Feb. 14, 1650; died in Woburn, Jan. 3, 1723–4. He married first, Oct. 14, 1672, Mary, daughter of Robert and Mary (Knight) Peirce of Woburn. She died Nov. 8, 1695; and he married second, Aug. 13, 1696, Bethia, daughter of William and Judith (Phippen-Haywood) Simonds of Woburn.

Children by first wife:

i. BENJAMIN,[3] b. Jan. 25, 1674; d. Nov. 17, 1675.
ii. MARY, b. Dec. 27, 1675; d. Jan. 24, 1676.
iii. JOHN, b. Dec. 27, 1677; d. in Weston, Apr. 16, 1718; m. Jan. 11, 1703, Lydia, dau. of Nathaniel and Mary Cutler of Reading, who d. in Weston, Jan. 8, 1764. In 1725, John[4] Walker of Weston, with his brother Nathaniel[4]† and sister Lydia,[4] released to his uncle Benjamin[3] Walker his interest in the estate of John[2] Walker, his grandfather, late of Woburn, deceased.

Children by second wife:

iv. BETHIA, b. Nov. 4, 1697.
v. BENJAMIN, b. July 7, 1699; m. Dec. 24, 1724, Grace, dau. of Nathaniel and Bathsheba (Wyman) Tay of Woburn. She m. (2) Feb. 11, 1741, Samuel Hathorn of Wilmington; and m. (3) Aug. 7, 1760, Caleb Eames of Wilmington. Children of Benjamin and Grace; the first two recorded in Woburn, the last four in Wilmington: 1. *Mary*,[4] b. Oct. 4, 1725. 2. *Elizabeth*, b. Mar., 1728.

* An Israel Walker was married to Joanna Green, in Boston, July 17, 1707.—*Boston Rec. Com. Report*, No. 28, p. 17. On June 10, 1723, Isaac Kendall of Ashford, Conn., brother-in-law of Israel Walker, was appointed guardian to his own children . . . they being nieces and nephews of Israel Walker, late of Boston, etc.—*Suffolk Co. Probate*, Nos. 4748–52.

† Nathaniel[4] Walker was the ancestor of Gen. Francis A. Walker.

3. *Sarah*, b. Sept. 17, 1730. 4. *Benjamin*, b. Dec. 12, 1732. 5. *Grace*, b. Aug. 14, 1735. 6. *John*, b. June 5, 1738.

6. ISAAC[2] WALKER (*Samuel*[1]), born in Woburn, Mar. 11, 1676; married Feb. 20, 1704, Margery, daughter of George and Elizabeth (Clark) Bruce of Woburn. He removed to Concord, N. H.

Children, born in Woburn:

i. ABIGAIL,[3] b. July 23, 1705; m. Sept. 22, 1729, David Evans of Charlestown.
ii. ISAAC, b. July 12, 1707; m. Mar. 16, 1731, Sarah Breed. Had b. in Woburn, *Joseph*,[4] b. Apr. 4, 1732, and others at Concord, N. H.
iii. EZEKIEL, b. May 29, 1709. Probably the Ezekiel Walker who m. July 6, 1732, Sarah, dau. of Nathaniel and Mary (Winn) Wyman of Woburn. He d. in Woburn, about 1745; and she d. previous to 1756. Children: 1. *Sarah*,[4] b. Nov, 20, 1732; m. int. pub. Oct. 16, 1751, to Josiah Coggin of Tewksbury. 2. *Peter*, b. Mar. 19, 1734. 3. *Catherine*, b. Mar. 18, 1736. 4. *Elizabeth*, b. Feb. 17, 1738. 5. *Peter*, b. Nov. 15, 1739; had a guardian appointed in 1756, he then of Medford. 6. *Jerusha*, b. Mar. 27, 1741. 7. *Mary*, b. Feb. 22, 1742. 8. *Jesse*, b. Jan. 9, 1745.
iv. TIMOTHY, b. Mar. 17, 1711; resided in Concord, N. H.
v. ANNE, b. Mar. 16, 1713.
vi. WILLIAM, b. May 31, 1715; resided in Concord, N. H.
vii. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 1, 1718; m. Dec. 4, 1739, Joseph Walker, Jr., of Billerica.
viii. MARY, b. May 29, 1720.
ix. SAMUEL, b. Aug. 10, 1723.

7. EZEKIEL[2] WALKER (*Samuel*[1]), born in Woburn, Mar. 5, 1679; died in Boston, Dec., 1723. He married, Aug. 7, 1701, Ruth, daughter of Thomas and Ann Cook of Boston. She died Sept. or Oct., 1743. The will of Ezekiel Walker of Boston, cordwainer, dated Nov. 30, 1723, probated Dec. 16, 1723, mentions children Ezekiel, Isaac, Ann, Samuel, Ruth and Thomas; and wife Ruth, who was the executor. (*Suffolk Co. Probate*, Lib. 23, fo. 71.) The will of Ruth Walker of Boston, dated Sept. 3, 1743, probated Oct. 28, 1743, mentions daughter Ruth, wife of James Henshaw of Boston; grandchild Ann Bowen, daughter of William Bowen; sons Isaac, Ezekiel, Samuel and Thomas. (*Suffolk Co. Probate*, Lib. 36, fo. 449.)

Children, born in Boston:

i. EZEKIEL,[3] b. May 12, 1702; m. Sarah ——. Jan. 13, 1748, Ezekiel Walker and Sarah his wife, James Henshaw and Ruth his wife, Thomas Walker and Mary his wife, the said Ezekiel, Ruth and Thomas, being three of the children of the late Ruth Walker, dec'd, convey to Isaac Walker their interest in the estate of their mother, Ruth. (*Suffolk Co. Deeds*, Lib. 67, fo. 173.)
ii. ISAAC, b. June 8, 1704; m. Sarah ——. An Isaac Walker m. in Boston, Sept. 15, 1726, Sarah Marshall. (*Boston Records.*)
iii. ANN, b. May 25, 1706; m. Oct. 7, 1725, William Bowen.
iv. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 5, 1708.
v. THOMAS, b. Aug. 16, 1710.
vi. RUTH, b. Aug. 15, 1713; m. Nov. 18, 1731, James Henshaw.
vii. THOMAS, b. Apr. 11, 1716; m. Mary ——. A Thomas Walker's m. int. was pub. Nov. 1, 1739, to Mary Foye. (*Boston Records.*)
viii. HANNAH, b. May 2, 1719.
ix. HANNAH, b. Aug. 11, 1720.

8. JOHN[2] WALKER (*Samuel*,[2] *Samuel*[1]), born in Woburn, July 2, 1665; married Nov. 9, 1691, Ruth, daughter of Thomas and Ruth (Blodgett) Kendall. He died Apr. 29, 1699; and his widow married second, Oct. 15, 1700, Henry Walker [11].

Children:

i. RUTH,[4] b. Dec. 4, 1692; m. about 1710, Josiah Wood of Woburn; d. Mar., 1752. He d. Jan. 4, 1753.

ii. EDWARD, b. Oct. 7, 1694; d. Dec. 6, 1787, æ. 93; m. Mar. 31, 1718, Esther, dau. of Sergt. Benjamin and Mary (Reed) Pierce, who d. Sept. 23, 1761, æ. 65. He is the ancestor of most, if not all, of the Walker family that remained in Woburn and Burlington. Of his nine children, four sons and five daughters, *John*,[5] d. unm., Aug. 6, 1800; *Joshua*,[5] d. Oct. 2, 1798, was a Lieut. in Capt. Gideon Parker's co., Col. Ebenezer Nichols's regiment, at Lake George in 1758, and a Capt. of the 3d foot company of Woburn militia from 1762 to 1781; and *Josiah*,[5] d. July 29, 1804, æ. 74. Mary,[6] dau. of Capt. *Joshua*,[5] m. James Bennett, "an officer in Washington's Army"; was b. Dec. 9, 1758, and d. in Burlington, Mass., Mar. 30, 1857, "in her 99th year." John,[6] son of Capt. *Joshua*,[5] d. June 8, 1814, in his 53d year. He was the father of Rev. *James*[7] (1794–1874), President of Harvard University. John[6] was a soldier in the Continental army before he was twenty-one; brigadier-general of militia in 1796; major of the 14th United States regiment of the Provisional army stationed at Oxford and Springfield, Mass., in 1798; Presidential elector, 1813. Timothy,[6] son of Capt. *Joshua*,[5] was the father of Dr. *William Johnson*[7] Walker, a distinguished physician and surgeon, famous for his large benefactions to colleges.

9. SAMUEL[3] WALKER (*Samuel*,[2] *Samuel*[1]), born in Woburn, Jan. 25, 1667; died in Woburn, Sept. 28, 1744. Married first, June 1, 1689 [1688, County Record], Judith Howard of Concord [County Record]. She died Nov. 14, 1724, in her 57th year; and he married second, Mary (Richardson) Fowle, widow of Capt. James Fowle. She died Oct. 23, 1748, in her 80th year. His will, dated Sept. 2, 1744, mentions wife Mary; sons Samuel and Timothy; daughters Sarah Buck, deceased, Judith Johnson, deceased, Hannah Wyman, Mary Johnson and Phebe Richardson; the children of Sarah Buck; the children Judith had by her husband Kendall; grandchild, daughter of Judith Johnson, by her husband Johnson; and Rev. John Fox and Rev. Supply Clap. The will of Mary Walker of Woburn, dated May 6, 1748, mentions sons John Fowle and Samuel Fowle; daughters Mary Simonds, Hannah Walker, Abigail Thompson, Elizabeth Newell, Sarah Richardson, Esther Simonds, Martha Clap and Catherine Whittemore.

Children, all by first wife:

i. SARAH,[4] b. Oct. 15, 1689; m. Sept. 21, 1721, Samuel Buck.

ii. JUDITH, b. Mar. 16, 1691; d. Mar. 20, 1742; m. (1) Ephraim Kendall, who d. May 15, 1728 (see REGISTER, vol. 39, p. 19); m. (2) Dec. 23, 1731, Samuel Johnson.

iii. ABIGAIL, b. Oct. 30, 1692; d. Mar. 1, 1712–13.

iv. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 3, 1694; d. Feb. 13, 1771; m. Hannah, dau. of Capt. James Fowle of Woburn. She d. May 13, 1788, in her 91st year. He resided in Wilmington, Mass. Children, the first six born in Woburn, the last six in Wilmington: 1. *Hannah*,[5] b. Sept. 22, 1718; m. Dea. Benjamin Jaquith of Wilmington. 2. *Samuel*, b. May 3, 1720; d. May 16, 1738. 3. *James*, b. Apr. 17, 1722; d. May 31, 1738. 4. *Abigail*, b. Aug. 31, 1724; d. June 27, 1738. 5. *Jonathan*, b. Apr. 15, 1726; d. May 17, 1738. 6. *Nathan*, b. Mar., 1728; d. May 18, 1738. 7. *Richard*,* b. July 1, 1730; d. June 21, 1738. 8. *Timothy*, b. July 5, 1732; d. May 9, 1809; m. Eunice, dau. of Joseph Brewster of Duxbury, who d. June 2, 1815. An-

* The first Richard of the Woburn line.

cestors of Timothy Walker [H. U. 1826] of Cincinnati, O., and Sears Cook Walker [H. U. 1825], the eminent scientist. 9. *A child*, stillborn, Jan. 20, 1733. 10. *Judith*, b. Feb. 22, 1734; d. May 16, 1738. 11. *Edward*, b. Sept. 14, 1737; d. June 10, 1738. 12. *Abigail*, b. May 27, 1741; m. June 21, 1764, William Ruggles of Waltham. All of the foregoing deaths are taken from gravestones at Wilmington, Mass. The excessive mortality of this family in May and June, 1738, was due to the throat distemper, eight children dying in that brief period.

v. HANNAH, b. July 24, 1698; m. May 25, 1721, Edward Wyman; resided at Dracut and Pelham, N. H.; d. Apr. 23, 1763.

vi. JOHN, b. Jan. 11, 1700; d. Jan. 25, 1700.

vii. JOHN, b. Aug. 19, 1701; d. Sept. 18, 1701.

viii. MARY, b. Oct. 12, 1702; m. Apr. 10, 1728, Benjamin Johnson; d. June 5, 1762 or 3. He d. May 4, 1781, æ. 80. He was a captain, from Woburn, in the French war.

ix. TIMOTHY, b. July 27, 1705; m. Nov. 12, 1730, Sarah, dau. of James and Mary (Lowden-George) Burbeen of Woburn. He was the first minister of Concord, N. H.

x. PHEBE, b. Sept. 7, 1707; m. Dec. 4, 1727, Noah Richardson, who d. June 23, 1756, in his 54th year; d. Apr. 2, 1776. Both were keepers of the famous Ark Tavern in Woburn, distinguished by its sign of an ark.

10. TIMOTHY[3] WALKER (*Samuel*,[2] *Samuel*[1]), born in Woburn, June 16, 1672; died June 19, 1706, æ. 34. He married, Mar. 2, 1699, Elizabeth, daughter of Lieut. James and Abigail (Carter) Fowle, and granddaughter of Captain John Carter of Woburn. She married second, Lieut. Stephen Hall of Medford, and died Feb. 3, 1764.

Children:

i. TIMOTHY,[4] b. Jan. 5, 1700; d. Apr. 27, 1700.

ii. ELIZABETH, b. June 9, 1701; m. Apr. 27, 1720, Capt. John Hall of Medford.

iii. ABIGAIL, b. Aug. 21, 1703; m. Nov. 27, 1721, Andrew Hall of Medford; d. Aug. 26, 1785.

iv. SARAH, b. Oct. 14, 1705; d. Oct. 3, 1707.

11. HENRY[3] WALKER (*Israel*,[2] *Samuel*[1]), born in Woburn, Feb. 1, 1679; married, Oct. 15, 1700, Ruth (Kendall) Walker, widow of John [8]. In 1726, Henry[3] was of Hopkinton, Mass.

Children:

i. HENRY,[4] b. Aug. 15, 1701; m. in Lexington, May 15, 1722, Mary Baldwin of Woburn. Children, born in Woburn: 1. *Elizabeth*,[5] b. Dec. 21, 1722. 2. *Henry*, b. Jan. 17, 1724–5. The history of his family is continued in Ballou's *History of Milford, Mass.*

Henry[4] and his son Henry[5] were in the 1740 expedition to Cuba, and Henry[5] was the only survivor of the thirteen Hopkinton men who were in that expedition.

ii. SUSANNA, b. Sept. 18, 1703; d. Oct. 11, 1703.

iii. JOSIAH, b. May 11, 1705.

iv. ISRAEL, b. Nov. 6, 1709.

v. SUSANNA, b. Apr. 4, 1712.

12. NATHANIEL[3] WALKER (*Israel*,[2] *Samuel*[1]), born in Woburn, Apr. 15, 1682; married Rebecca, daughter of Benjamin and Rebecca Simonds of Woburn. She died June 14, 1712. He removed to Union, Conn.

Children:

i. NATHANIEL,[4] b. in Woburn, Sept. 23, 1707.

ii. BENJAMIN, b. in Woburn, Aug. 4, 1709.

iii., etc. Other children, b. at Union.

BAPTISMAL RECORDS OF THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF HINSDALE,* MASS., TO THE YEAR 1850.

Communicated by JAMES HOSMER, Esq., of Hinsdale.

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Oct. 30th 1831 Baptised Edward infant son of Obadiah Brown and Polly his wife.

Nov. 13th Baptised Oliver Addison infant son of Addison Merriman and Prudence his wife,

June 17th 1832. Baptised by Rev. Saul [?] Clark, George Miron infant son of Horace Street and Althea his wife.

June 24th 1832. Baptised Charles Francis infant son of Porter Cooper and Sarah Allen his wife.

July 8th Baptised Mary Minerva infant daughter of Mr Epaphras Curtiss and Orpha his wife.

August 26th 1832 Baptised James Henry infant son of Dea. William Hinsdale and Judith his wife, and Walter infant son of Mr Rufus Butts and Susan T. his wife.

Sept 16th Baptized Richard Knight infant son of William Adams and Clarissa his wife.

Nov. 4th Baptised Amelia infant daughter of Theodore Barrows and Clarissa his wife.

Feb. 18th 1833. Baptised James Cotton infant son of Cotton Moody and Lucy his wife.

March 10th 1833. Baptised Juletta Corrinna infant daughter of Abel Alden and his wife.

May 26th 1833. Baptised Ginevra infant daughter of Hiram Richards and Betsey his wife.

June 2d 1833. Baptised Eliza infant daughter of Mr Henry Putnam and Martha his wife, Also Ellen infant daughter of Mr Daniel N Warner and Dorratha his wife.

July 21st 1833. Baptised Seymour Wheelock infant son of Daniel Merriman and Martha his wife.

Sept. 15 : 1833 Baptized Alonzo Meander infant son of John Francis and Phenilia his wife.

Nov. 3d 1833. Baptised Marion infant daughter of Obadiah Brown and Polly his wife.

May 4th 1834. Baptised John Adams infant son of Addison Merriman and Prudence his wife.

May 18th 1834 Baptised Edward infant son of Dea. William Clark and Amanda his wife

July 6th 1834 Baptised Sarah Loisa Johnson infant daughter of Zera Wing and Triphena his wife.

July 13th Baptized by Rev. J H Bisbee Jane Maria, infant daughter of Mr Rily Watkins and Almira his wife.

August 3rd 1834 Baptised Alida Fidelia infant daughter of Abial Cady and Abigail his wife, and Woolcot Deforest infant son of Henry Putnam and Martha his wife.

* For records of births, marriages and deaths, see VITAL RECORDS OF HINSDALE, MASSACHUSETTS, to the year 1850. Published by the New-England Historic Genealogical Society. Boston, 1902.

August 17th 1834 Baptised Edward Lyman infant son of Cotton Moody and Lucy his wife.

Oct 11th 1834 Baptized Henry infant son of Charles H Plunkett and Mary W. his wife.

July 5th 1835. Baptised Melissa infant daughter of Luther Watkins and Lovisa his wife.

July 19th 1835. Baptised Miron Abbot infant son of Russell Tinker and Roxany his wife, and Worthington Widen infant son of Frederic Curtiss and Martha Caroline his wife and also Selestia, infant daughter of Theodore Barrows and Clarrissa his wife.

Sept 6th 1835 Baptised Sylvia infant daughter of Oliver P Colt and Mary his wife.

Sept. 13th 1835. Baptised by Rev. J H Bisbee, John Elsworth and Abraham Washburn infant sons of Elijah H Goodrich and Mary his wife.

Oct. 25th 1835. Baptised John Brewster infant son of Azahel Barker and Semerrimus his wife

Nov. 1st. 1835. Baptised Julia Root infant daughter of Benjamin F. Kittredge and Harriet his wife, and Alfred Baker infant son of Daniel N Warner and Dorrathea B. his wife

April 17th 1836 Baptised Henry Stowel infant son of Horace Street and Altea [?] his wife.

June 19th 1836 Baptized Jane Ellen infant daughter of Epaphras Curtiss and Orpha his wife

June 24th 1836 Baptised Amanda Maria infant daughter of Dea. William Clark and Amanda his wife, also John Almansor [?] infant son of John Francis and Phanelia his wife.

July 8. 1836. Baptised Sarah Elizebeth infant daughter of Riley Watkins and Almira his wife.

August 7th 1836 Baptised William infant son of Cotton Moody and Lucy his wife.

August 21st 1836. Baptised David Brainard infant son of Abial Cady and Abigail his wife.

Oct. 1st 1836. Baptized Mary Robinson, infant daughter of Charles H Plunkett and Mary W. his wife,

Oct. 9th 1836 Baptized Chauncy infant son of Elijah H Goodrich and Mary his wife, and Clarissa Baldwin infant daughter of Marshall Pierce and Mary his wife.

Nov. 6th 1836. Baptised Jonathan Huntington Infant son of Joseph White and Sophia H. his wife

Dec. 11th 1836. Baptised Seraph infant daughter of Henry Putnam and Martha his wife.

May 28th 1837. Baptized Philura Curtiss, and Martha McElwain children of John Kittredge and Mary his wife.

August 6th 1837. Baptised George McElwain, infant son of Charles Wright and Martha his wife.

August 20th 1837 Baptised, by Rev. Mr. Clark, Ellen infant daughter of Cotton Moody and Lucy his wife.

August 27 Baptised Sarah Squires, infant daughter of Frederic Curtis and Martha C. his wife.

Sept. 3rd 1837 Baptised Edwin Wright infant son of Russell Tinker and Roxany his wife.

June 3: 1838. Baptised Miron, Infant son of Theodore Barrows and Clarrissa his wife.

July 22nd 1838. Baptised Emily Wells, infant daughter of Charles H Plunkett and Mary W. his wife.

August 5th 1838. Baptised Frances Jannett infant daughter of Benjamin F Kittredge and Harriett his wife.

Sept 30th 1838. Baptised Ann Eliza infant daughter of Riley Watkins and Almira his wife.

Dec. 2d. 1838 Baptized Monroe Emmons infant son of Lyman Payn and Emily his wife.

March 24th 1839. Baptised Opelia Maria infant daughter of John Putnam and Flora Minerva his wife.

March 31st 1839. Baptised by Rev. H Birce [?], Henry Payne infant son of Henry Merriman and Sarah B. his wife

May 12th 1839. Baptised Thomas Frissel infant son of Asahel Barker and Semiramis his wife

June 30th 1839. Baptised Elijah Hubbard infant son of Elijah Hubbard Goodrich and Mary his wife.

July 21st 1839 Baptised Clinton Wells infant son of Frederic Curtiss and Martha Caroline his wife, also Charles Henry infant son of Charles Wright and Martha his wife.

Sept. 29. 1839. Baptised Mabel Elmina infant son [sic] of Henry Putnam and Elviza his wife.

Oct. 6.th Baptized by Rev. J Knight Warren infant son of Epaphras Curtiss and Orpha his wife.

June 14th 1840. Baptised Hariett Phanelia infant daughter of John Francis and Phanelia his wife.

June 28th 1840. Baptised Daniel Clinton infant son of William Clark and Amanda his wife.

August 16. Baptised Thomas Kittredge infant son of Charles H Plunkett and Mary W. his wife.

Sept. 27th 1840 Baptised Wyat Wright infant son of Warren W Pierce and Abigail his wife.

Oct. 25th 1840 Baptised by Mr Bisbee Wallace Parsons Infant son of Benjamin E Warner and Rebecca his wife.

Nov. 22: 1840. Baptised Eunice Chamberlain infant daughter of Benjam F. Kittredge and Harriet his wife.

Baptisms by Rev. S. W. Banister.

On Sabbath June 6 1841. William Henry Harrison son Mr Henry Putnam and his wife

On Sabbath June 27 1841 Harlan Ashley son of Mr. Marshall Pierce and his wife Mary

On Thursday P. M. July 8. 1841 at a meeting at the house of the parents Franklin and Climene children of Mr [Edwin] Morgan and his wife.

On Sabbath July 11 1841 Emily Clapp, daughter of Mr Elijah Wentworth and his wife.

On Sabbath Sept 12 1841 Charles Wesley son of Mr Hubbard Goodrich and wife, was baptized by Rev. Mr Bond of Lee.

Sabbath Sept 19. 1841 Arthur Frederic, son of Mr Frederic Curtis & wife, on same day Ashley Bascom, son of Mr Charles Wright and wife.

On Monday evening Nov. 29, 1841 Ann daughter of Mr & Mrs Bloomer Irish-people—seemingly very pious and good people.

March 8. 1842 Baptised Ralph—son of Mr Joseph White—at his own house

April 29. 1842 Baptised Flora Merinda daughter of Mr John Putnam—this was at the preparatory lecture.

July 1. 1842, Friday—Baptised Lucinda Jane daughter of Dea William Clark—Also Fitz Henry son of Mr Noadiah Emmons.

Friday Sept 2. 1842 at Preparatory Lecture baptized Harriet daughter of Mr Ichabod Post.

On Sunday March 5 1843 were baptised Mrs Phebe Marana Chapin and the children of hers & her husband H W Chapin viz—Charles Henry and Frances Irene.

Sunday June 4. 1843 Baptised Sarah Marsh, daughter of Dr. B. F. & Mrs Harriet Kittredge.

Friday June 30, 1843 at Prep. Lecture baptised Susan Elizabeth, daughter of Mr Noadiah & Mrs Susan Emmons. Also Loenza Abigail—daughter of Mr Marshall Peirce & wife.

Sabbath July 2 1843 baptised Christopher Columbus Peirce on his admission to the church by profession.

Sabbath Aug. 6 1843 Baptised Charles Clarence, son Mr Charles Wright, & wife.

Friday Sept 1. 1843 at Prep. Lecture baptised Edson Wills,—Persis Bethia & Hiram Ashley children of Mr Hiram Richards & wife.

On Friday at Prep. Lecture Nov. 3. 1843 baptized Mary Eliza - child of Mr Abial Cady & wife.

On Friday at Prep. Lecture March 1 1844 baptised Edward William, son of Mr H W Chapin—also Charles Hinsdale, son of Mrs Mira Spencer & Mr John Spencer—presented by her, alone.

On Friday May 3 1844 at Prep. Lecture baptised Almon Nichols, son of Mr B E Worner & wife, also Elizabeth Julia—daughter of Mr Henry Merriman & wife.

July 4th 1844 At Prep. Lecture baptised Mary Worthington, daughter of Dr B F Kittredge—and Festus Parks, son of John Francis.

Nov. 1 1844 at Prep. Lecture baptised John son of Mr Henry Putnam.

April 2 1845 At Prep Lecture, baptised Elmore Clinton, son of Mr David Wentworth.

On Oct 31. 1845. At Prep. Lec. baptised Henry Levins, son of Mr Hubbard Goodrich.

On May 1. 1846 at Prep. Lec. baptised Charles Benjamin—son of Mr Benj. E Warner, George Taylor son of Charles H. & Nancy Plunkett was baptised at a preparatory Lecture Augt. 15th 1846 by Rev. Alvan Nash. E T Nash. Clerk pro. tem.

Baptisms by Rev. Edward Taylor.

March 5th 1847. At preparatory lecture baptized Isabel Augusta, daughter of Mr Noadiah Emmons. Also, Walter, son of Mr John Putnam also, Albert Elisha, son of Mr Elisha Parish.

Sabbath March 7th Baptized Otis Jones on his admission to the church by profession, also his three children, viz. Moses, Nancy Susan, Luther Otis.

At preparatory lecture, Baptized Henry Martyn son of David Wentworth & wife, April 30th 1847.

Sabbath May 2d- 1847 Baptized on their profession faith Erastus Pierce, Frances Fidelia Day, At the same time baptized Charles Morgan, son of Erastus & Sophia M Pierce, also William Ira, and Esther Fidelia children of Ira & Frances F Day.

At Preparatory Lecture, July 2nd I baptized Catharine Waldo infant daughter of Dr & Mrs B. F. Kittredge, also James Burchard, infant son of Mr & Mrs C J Kittredge, also Henry Wells and George Munroe, children of Mr & Mrs Samuel Watkins.

Sab. day July 4th 1847 I baptised the following persons on their profession of faith. Lucy E Clark, John Francis, Abel Kittredge Jr– Nancy T Plunkett, Harriet Tracy, Sarah Pierce, Sarah. L. Merrell, Julia A Merrell, Mary K Roberts, Janette Blake, Riley Watkins Samuel Watkins. Also at the same time with his mother George William son of Widow Harriet Tracy.

At preparatory lecture, friday Sept. 3d. I baptised Hannah Arvilla, daughter of Mrs Chloe B Parish, also, Elvira daughter of Mr Gordon & Mrs Chloe B. Parish.

Sab. day, Sept 5th 1847. I baptised on their union with T. church, Charles Chandler Thompson, Keziah W. Drown, Sarah Amelia Livermore, Eunice Pierce, Maria Cole, and at the same time, following her mother Louisa, daughter of Keziah W Drown.

At preparatory Lecture Nov. 5 I baptized John Brewer, Infant son of Dr. Edwin N. and Mrs Lydia Colt.

At communion Sab. Nov 7 I baptized the following persons on their union with the church by profession of faith—Mary Bird Francis, Rufus Abthorpe, Laura Nicholson, Cynthia Cole, Harvey Tabor Spring.

At preparatory Lecture Dec 31st baptized Lucinda Richmond, George Franklin, John Marshall, children of Mr & Mrs Philander F. Booth.

Baptisms in 1848, by Edward Taylor.

Jan 2d On admission to the Church, Philander Franklin Booth, Noadiah Emmons.

May 7. On profession of faith Henry Alexander Peirce.

June 30. At preparatory lecture Francis Marshall son of Mr & Mrs Marshall Peirce, also Sidney Haughton. Edward & Edwin (twins) children of Mr & Mrs Edward Cheeseman.

Sept. 1. At Preparatory Lecture James, infant son of John & Flora Putnam.

Nev. 3. At Preparatory Lecture, I baptized Julia Marion and Elizabeth Nelson daughters of Silas B. Bottum.

Baptisms in 1849.

May 4 At preparatory Lecture Celia Hall infant daughter of Mr & Mrs David Wentworth. also Charles Festus infant son of Mr & Mrs L M. Francis.

June 29 At Preparatory Lecture Hannah Maria, infant daughter of Mr & Mrs John Francis, also Mary Elizabeth, ditto of Mr & Mrs Ira Day. also Mary Ermina ditto of Mr & Mrs Otis Jones.

Sab. Oct. 14. at 5 o. c. at house of Mr Harlow Spring Mary Caroline, daughter of Mr & Mrs S K Ferguson also Mary Ellen, daughter of Mr & Mrs Harvey Spring. Mrs S. is supposed to be in the last stages of consumption, & wishing to dedicate her babe to God before she died a special service was held at her house for that purpose.

At preparatory lecture Nov. 2 I baptized Frank Peirce son of Mr & Mrs Fred. Curtis.

SOME DESCENDANTS OF JOHN MOORE OF SUDBURY, MASS.

By Ethel Stanwood Bolton, B.A., of Shirley, Mass.

[Concluded from page 309.]

27. Abraham[4] Moore (*Jonathan,*[3] *John,*[2] *John*[1]), was baptized in Lancaster, Mar. 31, 1716–7. His wife was Silence ———. He was a blacksmith by trade, and lived, as nearly all the Moores of Bolton did, near Wadaquadock Hill and Brook. His will was proved Nov. 23, 1773 (Worcester Co. Probate, 41236), and his son Jonathan was named executor.

Children:

i. David,[5] m. Aug. 11, 1763, Betty Whitcomb of Lancaster, and had issue.
ii. Jonadab, b. July 12, 1741; d. May 2, 1760.
iii. Jonathan, m. in Bolton, July 28, 1768, Desire Bailey. They had fifteen children. His estate was administered in 1793 (Worcester Co. Probate, 41259 and 41290).
iv. Abraham, b. Mar. 6, 1747–8; m. (1) Dec. 7, 1769, Sarah Johnson; m. (2) Jan. 24, 1803, Elizabeth Wales of Boston; d. Mar. 7, 1803. He was a physician. His will provided for the education of his son Abraham "now at Harvard."
v. Sarah, b. Jan. 20, 1749–50; d. June 21, 1768.
vi. Rebecca, b. Sept. 3, 1751.
vii. Hannah, b. Jan. 1, 1754.
viii. William, b. Dec. 5, 1755; m. Anna ———, and had issue.
ix. Silence, b. June 19, 1758.
x. Aaron, b. Nov. 7, 1761; m. Jan. 1, 1784, Salome Goss, in Bolton. One child, *Gratia*[6].
xi. Thomas. In 1773 he was of Pownalborough.

28. Isaac[4] Moore (*Jonathan,*[3] *John,*[2] *John*[1]) was baptized in Lancaster, Sept. 6, 1719. He married Mary ———. He died Jan. 19, 1759, and his widow administered his estate (Worcester Co. Probate, 41388).

Children:

i. Isaac,[5] d. Feb. 19, 1740.
ii. Mary, d. Mar. 9, 1740.
iii. Jacob, d. Aug. 11, 1742.
iv. Abigail, b. in 1740.
v. Jacob, b. in 1746; m. Nov. 30, 1769, Elizabeth Bailey, and had issue.
vi. Isaac, b. Sept. 8, 1748, in Bolton; m. June 24, 1768, Mary Bigelow of Shrewsbury, and had issue; d. Jan. 5, 1825, in Berlin.
vii. Mary, b. July 14, 1752.
viii. Uriah, b. July 14, 1752; m. Dec. 13, 1781, Abigail Merriam; d. May 25, 1820, in Princeton. Abigail administered his estate (Worcester Co. Probate, 41606).
ix. Oliver, b. Nov. 3, 1755; d. Nov. 8, 1755.
x. Olive, b. May 13, 1757; m. Robert Hunter.

29. Collins[4] Moore (*Richard,*[3] *Jacob,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Oxford, Oct. 17, 1698. He married, May 2, 1722, Bathsheba, daughter of Nathaniel Woods of Groton. He carried on his trade as a weaver both

in Worcester and Oxford. The history of the latter town contains an account of his life. He died Feb. 22, 1743, and his widow Bathsheba administered the estate. She afterwards married second, Samuel Town of Oxford; and married third, Samuel Phillips.

Children:

i. ABIGAIL,[5] b. Feb. 17, 1723, in Worcester; m. Abial Lamb.
ii. LEVI, b. Dec. 17, 1723; d. Aug. 2, 1745. He left a will, bequeathing two-thirds of his estate to his brother Nathan, and the remainder to his brother Richard (Worcester Co. Probate, 41459).
iii. NATHAN, b. Apr. 15, 1726; m. Feb. 18, 1747, Sarah Town. In 1764 he moved to Vassalboro', Maine.
iv. ELIJAH, b. Aug. 10, 1727.
v. SUSANNA, b. Jan. 25, 1729; m. Silas Robinson of Dudley.
vi. MARY, b. Sept. 25, 1730; m. Daniel Fairfield.
vii. BATHSHEBA, b. Feb. 10, 1732, in Oxford; m. Benjamin Wilson, and lived in Townsend.
viii. ALICE, b. Dec. 26, 1733; m. Jonathan Ballard.
ix. JERUSHA, b. Apr. 5, 1735; m. John Nichols.
x. RICHARD, b. Oct. 14, 1736; m. Aug. 19, 1761, Mary Eddy, and had issue; resided in Erving's Grant.
xi. PHEBE, b. Sept. 3, 1738; m. Ebenezer Lock.

30. ISAAC[4] MOORE (*Richard*,[3] *Jacob*,[2] *John*[1]) was born June 11, 1700, in Oxford. He married, in 1723, Hannah Newhall, and settled in Worcester, at Tacnic Hill (Worcester Co. Deeds, Vol. 4, p. 283). For a more detailed account of his descendants, see REGISTER, *ante*, Vol. 52, page 72.

Children:

i. HANNAH,[5] b. Mar. 31, 1725; m. Lieut. John Mower.
ii. THOMAS, b. May 1, 1727; m. Apr. 24, 1747, Ruth Nichols, and had issue. He lived in Brookfield. The list of his children is given in the article quoted above, with the exception of *Nathan*,[6] b. Sept., 1759.
iii. DAVID, b. Oct. 21, 1729; m. Oct. 15, 1755, Elenor Rice.
iv. JONATHAN, b. Jan. 10, 1732.
v. SAMUEL, } twins, b. May 5, 1736.
vi. PHEBE, }
vii. JOHN, m. Elizabeth Bigelow of Worcester, } twins, b. May 5, 1738.
viii. PHEBE, }
ix. ISAAC, b. Mar. 11, 1741; m. Apr. 21, 1768, Elizabeth Bryant, and had issue.
x. MARY, b. May 9, 1743.
xi. SARAH, b. Nov. 9, 1745.
xii. SUSANNA, b. Mar. 22, 1749.

31. ELIJAH[4] MOORE (*Richard*,[3] *Jacob*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Oxford, Mar. 14, 1701–2, and married, July 19, 1733, Dorothy Learned. He was an inn-keeper in Oxford, and a Captain of militia. An account of his life may be found in the History of Oxford. He died Nov. 17, 1781, and his widow Dorothy administered his estate (Worcester Co. Probate, 41335). The estate of the widow Dorothy, then of Oxford, was settled by her son Elijah, in 1789 (Worcester Co. Probate, 41332).

Children:

i. MARTHA,[5] b. Feb. 9, 1735; m. Ephraim Ballard.
ii. LUCY, b. July 25, 1737.
iii. JONATHAN, b. July 7, 1739; m. (1) Oct. 13, 1768, Susanna Parkman; m. (2) Anna Hammond of Newport, R. I. He graduated at Har-

vard in 1761, and in 1767–8 was librarian of the College Library and teacher of Greek and Hebrew. For a full account of his life, see No. 52 of the Biographical Contributions, edited by Justin Winsor.

iv. ABIGAIL, b. May 7, 1741; m. Jeremiah Shumway.
v. COLLINS, b. Apr. 17, 1743; m. (1) Mar. 26, 1770, Hannah Town; m. (2) July 1, 1787, Elizabeth Chamberlain of Dudley, and had issue; d. Nov. 24, 1825.
vi. ELIJAH, b. May 5, 1745.
vii. DOROTHY, b. Apr. 12, 1747; m. Dr. Stephen Barton.
viii. SARAH, b. Apr. 26, 1749; m. Reuben Davis of Charlton.
ix. EBENEZER, b. Sept. 7, 1751; m. Sarah,[6] daughter of Nathan,[5] and granddaughter of Collins Moore(29); settled, in 1774, at Brown's Corner, Vassalboro', Maine, where he became bailiff and steward of Governor Bowdoin; d. Apr. 10, 1817, leaving issue.
x. DEBORAH, b. July 27, 1753; m. Levi Davis, her cousin, a brother of Reuben Davis, her sister's husband.

32. ABIJAH[4] MOORE (*Richard,*[3] *Jacob,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Oxford, Dec. 22, 1705. He graduated at Yale in 1726, and became a physician. He settled in Middletown, Conn., and there married first, Anna Ward, his cousin. After 1755, he married second, Mrs. Abigail Goodwin. He died of small pox, in Middletown, Dec. 18, 1759.

Children:

i. MARCY,[5] b. Mar. 29, 1731, in Middletown.
ii. REYNOLD MARVIN, b. July 7, 1732.
iii. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 10, 1733.
iv. ABIJAH, b. Mar. 11, 1735.
v. ABIGAIL, b. Aug. 5, 1736.
vi. MARTHA, b. July 18, 1738: d. in 1740.
vii. ANNA, } twins, b. Apr. 27, 1740.
viii. MARTHA, }
ix. RUTH, b. Jan. 1, 1742.
x. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 2, 1743.
xi. SIBYL, b. Sept. 5, 1747.
xii. SARAH, b. Sept. 9, 1749.

33. RICHARD[4] MOORE (*Richard,*[3] *Jacob,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Oxford, Jan. 10, 1708. He married, June 18, 1741, Mary Learned, and lived in Oxford, where he was a Deputy Sheriff in 1753. He owned the Hagburn estate in Oxford, with his brother Elijah, until 1750, when he sold his interest to him. Richard then moved his family into his fathers's house, and took care of his parents. His will was made in 1779, and probated in 1783 (Worcester Co. Probate, 41552).

Children:

i. SAMUEL C.,[5] b. and d. in 1742.
ii. SAMUEL, b. May 18, 1744; m. Dec. 16, 1762, Zerviah Leavens, and had two sons.
iii. MARVIN, b. Apr. 12, 1746.
iv. RUTH, b. Mar. 12, 1750; m. Apr. 11, 1774, Samuel Towne of Charlton, later (1788) of "Salem Town."
v. WILLIAM, b. June 16, 1752.
vi. NEHEMIAH, b. Mar. 30, 1754.
vii. MARY, b. Feb. 17, 1756.
viii. JOHN, b. June 28, 1758.
ix. EDWARD, b. May 18, 1760.
x. RICHARD, b. June 29, 1762.
xi. RUFUS, b. May 30, 1764.
xii. EBENEZER, b. Mar. 25, 1767.

34. DANIEL[4] MOORE (*Daniel,*[3] *Jacob,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, Apr. 2, 1716. He married, June, 1743, in Acton, Elizabeth White.

Children:

i. JONATHAN,[5] b. Sept. 18, 1747.
ii. DANIEL, b. Aug. 30, 1751.
iii. JOHN, b. Apr. 6, 1754.
iv. ELIZABETH, b. July 30, 1756.
v. SAMUEL, b. Oct. 21, 1761.

35. ISRAEL[4] MOORE (*Daniel,*[3] *Jacob,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, Sept. 18, 1724. He married, Apr. 16, 1747, in Sudbury, Susanna Woodward, who died Dec. 13, 1820. He died Aug. 12, 1799, and his estate was administered (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10916).

Children:

i. DANIEL WOODWARD,[5] b. Jan. 19, 1747–8; m. Jan. 4, 1782, Azubah Knight. In 1796, Azubah was appointed administratrix of his estate (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10899). He left four sons.
ii. ISRAEL, b. Nov. 8, 1749; m. Feb. 10, 1774, Mary de Jersey.
iii. EPHRAIM, b. Nov. 27, 1751; d. June 12, 1835.
iv. SUSANNA, b. Apr. 11, 1754.
v. ISAAC, b. Mar. 23, 1756; d. before 1799.
vi. ASA, b. July 30, 1758; m. Nov. 8, 1784, Persis Knight; settled in Leverett.
vii. JAMES, b. May 7, 1760; d. before 1799.
viii. JOSIAH, b. Dec. 14, 1762; d. before 1799.
ix. JONAS, b. July 5, 1765; m. June 15, 1786, Alice Wheelock.
x. EUNICE, b. Apr. 10, 1768; m. May 20, 1787, John Brigham of Rutland.

36. PETER[4] MOORE (*Samuel,*[3] *Jacob,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Framingham, June 6, 1734. He married Hannah ———, and lived on the old Littlefield place. Hannah died about 1794, and Peter about 1816.

Children:

i. REBECCA,[5] bapt. Jan. 3, 1762; m. Benjamin Collins of Southborough.
ii. SALLY, bapt. Mar. 13, 1765; d. unmarried, in Phillipston, in 1837.
iii. SAMUEL, bapt. Apr. 14, 1765; m. Oct. 6, 1795, Anna Underwood; d. in Phillipston, in 1841.
iv. LUTHER, bapt. Aug. 24, 1766. He was twice married.
v. FANNY, bapt. July 31, 1768; m. (1) Joseph Angier; m. (2) in 1791, Ephraim Hagar; d. in 1842.
vi. MARTHA, bapt. Nov. 8, 1770; m. Charles Stockwell of Leverett.
vii. MOLLY, bapt. Nov. 8, 1772; m. Josiah Stockwell; d. in Phillipston.
viii. GRACE, bapt. June 2, 1776; m. William Howe of Phillipston.

37. ASA[4] MOORE (*James,*[3] *Jacob,*[2] *John*[1]) was born Oct. 23, 1719, in Sudbury. He went with his father to Worcester, and there married first, Sarah Heyward. Sarah died Dec. 13, 1760; and he married second, Mary Cook. He left a widow Lucy, so that he must have married a third time. In 1774 he was appointed guardian for his two minor children, Betty, then aged seventeen, and Daniel, aged fifteen. They had inherited money from their grandfather, Daniel Heyward. On July 20, 1798, he made a will, naming his son William as executor, and mentioning his wife Lucy, his sons John and Thaddeus, who had died leaving issue, and his daughters Sarah, Hannah, and Betsy. The will was proved in 1800 (Worcester Co. Probate, 41280).

Children by first wife:

i. ASA,[5] b. Mar. 10, 1744.
ii. JOHN, b. May 3, 1746; perhaps m. Jan. 26, 1775, Mary Bruce.
iii. SARAH, b. Aug. 28, 1748; m. Daniel Gates.
iv. HANNAH, b. June 28, 1750; m. John Shephard Gates.
v. MARTHA, b. July 14, 1752.
vi. THADDEUS, b. Sept. 15, 1754; m. Jane ——, and had issue (see Worcester Co. Probate, 41280).
vii. BETTY, b. Feb. 18, 1757; m. Capt. James McFarland.
viii. DANIEL, b. about 1759.

Child by second wife:

ix. WILLIAM, b. Feb. 19, 1765; d. June 5, 1833.

38. ELIAB[4] MOORE (*Joseph,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *John*[1]) married in Sudbury, Mar. 5, 1728, Kezia Stone. In 1748, Joseph[3] deeded land in Sudbury to his son Eliab (Middlesex Co. Deeds, Vol. 48, p. 331). In 1756, Kezia, the widow, was appointed administratrix of his estate (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10901). Kezia died in 1759, and Elijah Bent administered her estate (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10936).

Children:

i. ELIAS.[5]
ii. ZIBIAH, m. Benjamin Stow.
iii. SUSANNA, m. Josiah Woodward.

39. ELIAS[4] MOORE (? *Joseph,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *John*[1]) was perhaps a son of Joseph Moore. Eliab[4] named a son Elias, and probability points to this as his ancestry, though no proof has been found. He married in Sudbury, July 9, 1724, Susanna Tomson. In 1740 he bought two pieces of land in Sudbury (Middlesex Co. Deeds, Vol. 41, p. 374, 375). He died Oct. 21, 1770, and in his will, which was probated that year, he speaks of himself as "being week and decaying in body." The will mentions his wife Susanna, who is executrix, and his son Obediah (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10902).

Children:

i. OBEDIAH,[5] b. Sept. 20, 1726, in Sudbury; m. May 22, 1744, Eunice, Hayden; d. before 1763, leaving *Sarah,*[6] *Isaac, Eliab, Lucy, Uriah,* who possibly m. Lydia Witt, *Susanna,* and *Catherine.*
ii. ISAAC, b. Aug. 4, 1730; d. Apr. 19, 1733.
iii. JEDUTHUN, b. June 1, 1741; m. Ruth, dau. of Hezekiah Moore (19). In 1767, Jeduthun, his wife Ruth, and child Silas, from Sudbury, were warned from Rutland. He was a shoemaker, and lived on Pound Hill. He d. about 1816, leaving wife Ruth, and children, *Ruth,*[6] *Jesse* and *Cummin* (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10918).

40. JACOB[4] MOORE (*John,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, July 1, 1703. He married, Nov. 4, 1729, Rebecca Robbins.

Children:

i. ABIGAIL,[5] b. Dec. 5, 1730; d. young.
ii. HANNAH, b. Mar. 30, 1733.
iii. JESSE, b. June 4, 1735.
iv. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 25, 1737.
v. REBEKAH, b. Aug. 20, 1743.
vi. ELIZABETH, b. June 7, 1747.
vii. REUBEN.

41. EPHRAIM[4] MOORE (*John,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *John*[1]) was born Nov. 13, 1706, in Sudbury. He married, May 11, 1736, Dorothy Brintnal. He lived in Rutland, on the road to Paxton, and was a prominent citizen.

In 1765 he deeded land to his two children, Dorothy and Willard, for their support (Worcester Co. Deeds, Vol. 51, pp. 503, 509). His will was probated in 1773, and he is there called of Paxton (Worcester Co. Probate, 41346).

Children:

i. DOROTHY,[5] b. Sept., 1741; m. before 1773, Loring Lincoln.
ii. WILLARD, b. Apr., 1743; m. Mar. 18, 1762, Elizabeth Hubbard. He was a major of minute men, and was killed at Bunker Hill. He lived in Paxton. In 1775 he made a will leaving land in Oakham, Rutland, and Holden, and a "negro-man Jack." He had two sons.

42. SILAS[4] MOORE (*John,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, Sept. 22, 1708. He married Anna ———, who died Nov. 14, 1753.

Children:

i. JEDUTHUN[5], b. June 1, 1741.
ii. DINAH, b. Feb. 8, 1743–4.
iii. CATHERINE, b. Mar. [1], 1746; m. Sept. 12, 1765, David Goodnow, Jr.
iv. JESSE, b. July 31, 1748; m. Nov. 11, 1773, Mrs. Lucy Eaton, and had one child. In 1777 his estate was administered by his father (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10919). Some years later, Jesse's sister Lucy, and her husband Daniel Loring, were accused of embezzling £25 worth of his furniture.
v. AZUBAH, b. Mar. 30, 1751; d. Jan. 24, 1754.
vi. LUCY, m. Daniel Loring.

43. PAUL[4] MOORE (*John,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, Mar. 30, 1711. He married, May 3, 1733, Hannah, daughter of Captain John Hubbard of Rutland, who was not quite sixteen at the time. Paul Moore was a carpenter by trade. He was a major of minute men, and was killed at Bunker Hill. A fuller account of him can be found in the History of Rutland.

Children (not in order of birth):

i. LOVE,[5] m. David Rice of Rutland.
ii. BOAZ, b. in 1735; d. in Princeton, Oct. 9, 1802; m. Hannah Atherton. He apparently had no children, since his widow and brothers and sisters inherited his property (Worcester Co. Probate, 41296).
iii. MARY, m. ——— Moore.
iv. MERCY, d. Sept. 6, 1756, aged 17 y. 10 m. 3 d.
v. PERSIS, m. Elisha Mirick.
vi. JOHN HUBBARD, m. int. pub. to Mary Miles, but he d. before his marriage, of a fever-sore, at Tewksbury.
vii. HUMPHREY, of Princeton; m. Mary Sweetser of Paxton, int. pub. Oct. 19, 1771, and had issue. He d. at Princeton, Dec. 19, 1790, aged 49.
viii. ESTHER, m. ——— Benson.
ix. TILLE, d. Sept. 11, 1756, aged 8 m. 4 d.

44. BEZALEEL[4] MOORE (*John,*[3] *Joseph,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, February 21, 1716. He married in Sudbury, Mar. 19, 1755, Mrs. Ruth Esty.

Children:

i. SIBYL,[5] b. Dec, 25, 1755.
ii. PHINEHAS, b. Jan. 5, 1760.

45. AUGUSTUS[4] MOORE (*William,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, Jan. 6, 1723. He married, Feb. 13, 1745–6, Elizabeth Haynes, who died Dec. 14, 1764.

Children:

i. AUGUSTUS,[5] b. Mar. 3, 1746, in Sudbury; m. Nov. 16, 1769, Ruth Plympton, and had five children b. in Sudbury.
ii. JOSIAH, b. Sept. 25, 1747.
iii. DINAH, b. Jan. 16, 1749.
iv. BENJAMIN, b. Dec. 5, 1750; d. Feb. 10, 1752.
v. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 29, 1753.
vi. ABEL, b. Apr. 30, 1755.
vii. ARTEMAS, or ARTENATUS, b. May 15, 1757.
viii. PERSIS, b. Aug. 16, 1758.
ix. RACHEL, b. Jan. 20, 1760; d. Dec. 21, 1763.
x. ETHAN, b. Apr. 28, 1762.

46. ABIJAH[4] MOORE (*William,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, Aug. 31, 1724. He married Oct. 28, 1747, Eunice Gibbs. He was a captain in the Revolution, from Princeton; but he died in Boylston, in 1796.

Children:

i. WILLIAM,[5] b. Dec. 18, 1748, in Sudbury; m. Oct. 12, 1769, Abigail Wheeler, and had issue.
ii. RUFUS, m. Apr. 2, 1797. Betsey Moore.
iii. BARSHEBA, bapt. May 13, 1753, in Lancaster.
iv. TAMAR, bapt. June 22, 1755, in Lancaster; m. Elisha Hubbard.
v. ABIJAH, b. Oct. 1, 1757, in Princeton; bapt. in Lancaster, the following year; m. Sept. 7, 1786, in Putney, Rebecca McWain.
vi. GIDEON, b. Oct. 20, 1759; m. Aug. 19, 1782, Arvilla Hubbard, and had issue.
vii. EUNICE, b. Nov. 14, 1761; d. July 19, 1768.
viii. JEPTHA, b. Feb. 18, 1764; m. Mar. 23, 1793, in Putney, Zilphah Jewett.
ix. LOIS, b. Mar. 1 2 1761, in Bolton; m. Jan. 19, 1789, in Putney, William Poole.
x. LENSTANDAY, b. May 8, 1768, in Bolton.

47. PHINEHAS[4] MOORE (*Peter,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born Mar., 1729, in Rutland. He married Anna Rice, and died Dec. 15, 1807.

Children:

i. BEULAH,[5] b. May 17, 1755, in Paxton; d. Sept. 17, 1755.
ii. RELIEF, b. Mar. 20, 1757; d. May 12, 1830.
iii. BEULAH, b. July 29, 1761; d. June 14, 1781.
iv. ADONIJAH, b. Oct. 13, 1763; d. July 27, 1815.
v. PERSIS, b. Aug. 29, 1766; d. Sept. 4, 1827.
vi. HANNAH, b. Aug. 6, 1768; d. Apr. 4, 1810.
vii. PETER, b. June 15, 1770; d. Aug. 6, 1773.
viii. LUCINDA, b. July 12, 1772.
ix. PETER, twin, b. May, 3, 1775; d. June 6, 1775.
x. PHINEHAS, twin, b. May 3, 1775; d. June 17, 1775.

48. NATHAN[4] MOORE (*Edward,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, May 25, 1725. He married first, July 23, 1744, Agnis Bolton. His second wife was Abigail Parmenter; and he had a third wife, Sarah ———. Nathan's estate was administered in 1776, and the heirs were: John, Joseph, Abigail, Jonathan, and Thomas (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10944).

Children by first wife:

i. JOHN,[5] b. June 6, 1745.
ii. JOSEPH, b. Aug. 1, 1747; m. Jan. 22, 1767, Martha Grout, and had children born in Sudbury.

Children by second wife:

iii. SARAH, b. Sept. 2, 1750; d. before 1776.
iv. LUTHER, b. June, 1753; d. before 1776.

Children by third wife:

v. NATHAN, b. Mar. 16, 1762; d. before 1776.
vi. JONATHAN, b. Apr. 14, 1764; d. Sept. 19, 1841.
vii. SARAH, b. Sept. 10, 1766; d. before 1776.
viii. ABIGAIL, b. July 9, 1768.
ix. AARON, b. Apr. 1, 1770; d. before 1776.
x. THOMAS.

49. ELIJAH[4] MOORE (*Edward,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, Aug. 6, 1735. His wife's name was Sarah. His estate was administered in 1792 by Joseph Goodnow; the widow and Elijah, the son, were the heirs (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10903).

Children:

i. RUTH,[5] b. Apr. 8, 1760, in Sudbury.
ii. ELIJAH, b. July 1, 1762.
iii. EDWARD, b. Oct. 26, 1764.

50. JOHN[4] MOORE (*Edward,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, June 1, 1738. His wife was Anna ———. (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10925.)

Children:

i. REUBEN,[5] b. June 20, 1771; m. Mar. 24, 1800, Eunice Tufts; d. Dec. 29, 1848.
ii. JOEL, b. July 18, 1773; m. May 25, 1802, Anna Haynes; d. Jan. 2, 1844.
iii. BETSEY, b. Feb. 25, 1775.
iv. ABEL, b. Apr. 6, 1777; m. Aug. 23, 1801, Ruth Goodnow.
v. REBECCA, b. Apr. 28, 1780.
vi. LEWIS, b. May 4, 1783.
vii. MARTIN, b. Aug. 4, 1786.
viii. ESTHER, b. Apr. 28, 1788; m. Jan. 27, 1808, William Walkup.

51. ASHBELL[4] MOORE (*Hezekiah,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born Oct. 6, 1729, in Sudbury. He married, Nov. 16, 1752, Persis Moore. Ashbell Moore was drowned in the Sudbury River, Apr. 11, 1765, and his brother-in-law Elijah Moore administered the estate (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10895).

Children:

i. HEZEKIAH,[5] b. July 18, 1753.
ii. KEZIAH, b. Feb. 13, 1755.
iii. SARAH, b. Apr. 21, 1758.
iv. GIDEON, b. Apr. 4, 1760.
v. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 10, 1762.
vi. ASHBELL, b. Apr. 11, 1765.

52. LUKE[4] MOORE (*Hezekiah,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, in 1738. He lived in the "East wing" of Rutland. He married, in Holden, Oct. 27, 1760, Lucy Estabrook.

Children:

i. TABATHA,[5] b. June, 1761, in Sudbury; m. May 15, 1783, John Briant of Rutland.
ii. FLAGG, m. Oct. 20, 1789, Lucy Davis; moved to New Hampshire.

53. URIAH[4] MOORE (*Hezekiah,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, Jan. 6, 1751–2. It is possible that he married, Feb. 18, 1776, Olive How.

Uriah,[6] son of Obediah,[5] son of Elias (39), was born Mar. 4, 1750; and Uriah,[5] son of David (54), was born Sept., 1751. It is hardly possible to distinguish between the three Uriahs, so near the same age; but it seems probable that Uriah,[6] son of Obediah,[5] was he who married, Apr. 11, 1776, Lydia Witt, and that he named his eldest child Eunice for his mother.

The estate of the Uriah who married Olive was administered in 1799 (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10961), but gives no clue.

Child:

i. CURTIS, b. Feb. 6, 1778; m. Feb. 6, 1805, Polly Nixon.

54. DAVID[4] MOORE (*Uriah,*[3] *Benjamin,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Sudbury, Jan. 21, 1722. He married, Dec. 22, 1743, Hannah Parker. His will was probated in 1808, and named his eldest son William as executor (Middlesex Co. Probate, 10911).

Children:

i. URIAH,[5] b. July 3, 1744; d. Apr. 27, 1746.
ii. ABIGAIL, b. Oct. 25, 1745; d. Mar. 27, 1751.
iii. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 12, 1747.
iv. SUSANNA, b. Dec., 1749.
v. URIAH, b. Sept., 1751 (see 53).
vi. DAVID, b. Mar. 2, 1754.
vii. THADDEUS, b. Nov. 9, 1758.
viii. TIMOTHY, b. Jan. 9, 1761; m. Apr. 2, 1780, Hepzibah Nixon.
ix. REUBEN, b. Nov. 21, 1762.
x. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 12, 1764; m. Apr. 8, 1784, Joshua Bacon of Lincoln, mentioned in her father's will.

BAPTISMS RECORDED BY THE MINISTERS OF THE FIRST CHURCH IN NEEDHAM. 1720–1849.

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(Concluded from page 263.)

THE Rev. Stephen Palmer, A.M., minister from November 7, 1792, until his death, October 31, 1821, often underlined the names of persons, but had no fixed custom in this particular; he also drew many lines after entries and to separate one from another. The words "Baptized the" directly follow the date in most instances, beginning with November 11, 1792, and will be omitted unless there is some variation. He sometimes used "y^e" instead of "the," which will be indicated. As the years advanced, Mr. Palmer's use of irregular dashes increased, and these will be omitted when they serve no purpose.

Novr. 24. 1793.	Simeon Colburn admitted * * *; and Abigail, his wife, baptized.
Feb.y. 8. 1795	Aaron Smith the 3^{d}. owned the Covenant; and was baptized—(*Privatim quia ægrotat.*)
Aug. 28. 1796	Esther Fuller—Baptized
	Polly Broad (the wife of Moses Broad)(Octr. 30. 1796) * * * and was baptized.
Sepr. ye 2. 1798	Mary Woodcock—Baptized
Novr. 11 : 1792	Baptized the child of Joshua Brown, named—*Adah*
Feby. 10th. 1793.	Child of Moses Eaton, named—Hannah
June 9.	child of M^{r}. Nathan Newell—(Offered by his wife.)—named—Betsey
July 21.	child of David Mills, named—Ira
September 30 —	child of Joshua Lewis; named George
November 10 —	child of Tim.^{y} Smith.— Timothy
	At the same time, the children of Royal M^{c}.Intosh, (offered by his wife) — — named — Samuel[,] Royal, & Prifcilla [Where two or more children of one family were baptized on the same date, Mr. Palmer wrote their names in a column, and occasionally it will be necessary to insert a comma in brackets.]
Novr. 24—	children of Simeon Colburn named Calvin & Clarifsa
February 16 1794	child of Lemuel Brackett; named — (Nancy
March 30.	child of Moses Fuller (offered by his wife) named Stephen Palmer
	At the same time, baptized the child of Royal McIntosh, (offered by his wife) named Catharine
April 6.	child of Henry Glover — named — Rhena
April 20.	child of Michael Harris — named — Lucy
June 22	child of William Clarke (offered by his wife) named George
Aug. 24.	child of Timothy French, named Joseph Swan
Septr. 28.	child of Ebenezer M^{c}.Intosh (offered by his wife) named Curtifs
October 5. 1794.	children of David Fairbanks, (offered by his wife) named — — Lemuel[,] Mary[,] Lucy & Dolly Whitney
Novr. 23.	child of Joshua Lewis, named Submit
April. 5. 1795	Baptized my child viz Stephen Palmer named Catharine
Novr. 1st.	child of Olive Woodcock — Clarifsa Williams
Novr. 22.	child of Lemuel Brackett named Pamela
May 1. 1796	child of Aaron Smith (offered by his wife) named Harriot
May 15.	child of Henry Glover — Martin Colbur^{n}
June 19.	child of Royal Mc.Intosh (offered by his wife) named Elizabeth
Octr. 9. 1796	child of Tim.^{y}. French named John.
	At the same time, the child of David Fairbanks (offered by his wife) named Rebecca.
	At the same time, my own child viz Stephen Palmer — named Joseph.

Octr. 16.	child of W^{m} –„ Clarke (offered by his wife) named Calvin
Novr. 20	child of Moses Broad (offered by his wife) named Joanna
May 7. 1797	children of Daniel Ware. (offered by his wife) named Daniel[,] Dorothy[,] Reuben & Reuel
Sepr. 24—	Preached in the West meeting house, and baptized the child of Eliakim Morrill of Natick — Samuel
January 14 1798.	child of Daniel Ware (offered by his wife) named Dexter
April ye 22	child of Royal McIntosh (offered by his wife) named Hannah
May ye 20	child of Aaron Smith (offered by his wife) named Fanny
	At the same time the children of George Fisher named Nathaniel[,] Betsey Whiting & Mary
	At the same time the child of Henry Glover — Lucy.
Sepr. ye 2	child of James Smith (offered by his wife) named Amraphel
Sepr. ye 23	child of Tim.^{y}. French named — Anna
Sepr. ye 23.	child of Moses Fuller (offered by his wife) named Louisa.
Octr. ye 28	child of Ebenezer Mc. Intosh, (offered by his wife) named — Ebenezer Whiting
Novr. ye 4.	child of David Fairbanks (offered by his wife) named Nathaniel
January ye 30. 1799	child of Timothy Smith (privatim quia ægrotat) Ebenezer
August ye 25.	child of George Bird, (offered by his wife) named George
Sepr. ye 8.	Baptized my child. viz. (Stephen Palmer) named Sarah Eames
Sepr. ye 15. 1799	ye child of William Clark, (offered by his wife) named George
Novr. ye 10.	ye child of Jonathan Newell — named — Lucy
July ye 13. 1800	ye child of David Scott — named — Mary
Sepr. ye 7.	ye child of Joel Smith (offered by his wife) named Otis
	At the same time, ye child of Jonathan Gay Junior named Mary
	At the same time ye child of Enoch Fuller (offered by his wife) named Lucy
Octr. ye 26. 1800	ye child of Henry Glover — Anna
May ye 3. 1801.	ye child of James Smith (offered by his wife) named Myra
June ye 7	child of David Fairbanks (offered by his wife) named Ellis
July ye 12.	ye child of Joel Smith (offered by his wife) named Nancy
July ye 19.	ye child of Israel Whitney named Permelia
Octr. ye 18.	ye child of George Bird (offered by his wife) named Hannah Whiting
Novr. ye 8	ye child of Jonathan Gay Junr.—Lucy

May ye 2. 1802	My child — viz — Stephen Palmer — baptized, by the reverend M^{r}. Haven — named Jason Haven.
May ye 9.	ye child of Enoch Fuller (offered by his wife) named Carolina.
July ye 4.	ye child of Israel Whitney named Mary Richards
July ye 18—	ye child of Eben^{r}. McIntosh (offer'd by his wife) named Charlotte
Novr. ye 14.	ye child of Tim.^{y}. French—Calvin.
May ye 22. 1803	ye child of Joel Smith (offered by his wife) named Otis
June ye 26.	ye child of David Fairbanks, (offered by his wife) named David
Aug. 21.	ye child of George Bird, (offered by his wife)—named Josiah Newell
Sepr. ye 18.	ye children of W^{m} –„ Eaton (offered by his wife) named Lucy & William
Feby. 12. 1804	child of Israel Whitney — Lavina
April ye 15	ye child of James Smith (offered by his wife) named James
May ye 13	ye child of Ebenezer McIntosh (offered by his wife) named — Michael
June ye 10. 1804	ye child of David Mills—Sarah
Octr. ye 14	ye children of Moses Mann named Nancy & Joel Richards
Decr. ye 9	ye child of David Kingsbery (offered by his wife) named — Mehitable
Decr. ye 30	ye child of Doct. Samuel Gould — named Elizabeth
Jany. ye 20 1805	ye child of Esther Woodcock named Harriet.
May ye 19. 1805	ye child of Michael Harris Junr. named Elbridge
July ye 28.—	ye child of David Mills — named — David At the same time the child of George Bird (offered by his wife) named — Samuel James
Octr. ye 6	ye child of Tim.^{y}. Broad Junr — (offered by his wife) named—Mehitable Newell
Feby. ye 2. 1806	ye child of Joel Smith (offered by his wife) named Joshua Whiting
April ye 6.	ye child of Eben^{r}. McIntosh (offered by his wife) named Nathan
April ye 27. 1806	ye children of Lemuel Mills—Rufus & Lemuel
May ye 4	ye child of David Scott — named — Harriot
May ye 4	ye children of Asa Daggett (offered by his wife)—privatim, quia pater ægrotat named Lydia[,] Rebecca & Sarah
May ye 18	ye children of Paul Alden—named Lucinda[,] Elizabeth [,] Roxana [,] Rebecca Newell & Nancy
June ye 15	ye child of Jonathan Alden—John Tolman
July ye 6. 1806	ye child of David Scott—Eunice Parker
July ye 27	ye child of Dr. Samuel Gould—George
Aug ye 17.	ye children of Job Skinner (offered by his wife) named Betsey [,] Deane & William Avery
Novr. ye 2.	ye child of Timothy Broad Junr. (offered by his wife) named Francis William
Feby. ye 22. 1807	ye children of Elisha Lyon—Sally Brown [,] Louisa & Lemuel

March ye 8	ye child of Wm-Eaton (offered by his wife) named Josiah
March ye 22 1807	ye child of Moses Mann—Ebenezer Corey
May ye 3.—	ye child of Michael Harris Junr—Warren
May 31.—	child of John Tolman Junr-of Barre (offered by his wife) named John Broad
Aug^{t}—30.	ye child of Paul Alden—Paul
March 6. 1808	ye child of James Smith (offered by his wife) named Robert.
	At the same time, the children of Jeremiah Kingsbery named Sarah—Charlotte Bond, and Lydia.
April ye 24.	ye child of Israel Whitney named Ann Frances.
May 22	ye child of Joel Smith (offered by his wife) named Hannah
Augt. 14—	ye children of Nathaniel Ware — named Abigail — Mary—Nathaniel—& Thomas Jefferson
	At the same time, the children of Moses Fisher (offered by his wife) named—Mary—Allen—Amos—Joseph —& Reuben
Sep^{r}—18.—1808	children of Benjamin Slack named John Whiting[,] Catharine[,] Sally—Benjamin Franklin and Thomas Weld
Sep^{r}—26.—	ye child of Job Skinner (offered by his wife) Privatim quia ægrotat—named Nancy
Novr. 20—	ye child of Tim.^{y}. Broad Junr-(offered by his wife) named Dorothy Colburn
Feby. 26. 1809	child of Benjamin Slack—named William Fuller
March 12—	ye child of Daniel Scott—named—Samuel

The following were recorded in the latter part of the church book, apparently by Mr. Palmer:

Baptisms &c—during the vacancy—between M^{r}. West's dismission, and M^{r}. Palmer's ordination.

Feby. 8. 1789	The child of David Ockinton baptized by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Chickering—named William
June 21. 1789	The child of Henry Glover baptized, by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Thacher—named Lucy.
Novr. 15. 1789	The child of M^{r}. Tim.^{y} Smith baptized by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Homer named—Newell
	At the same time the children of Nathan Newell (offered by his wife) named Jabez [,] Lucy [,] Polly and Lydia
June 13. 1790	The child of Solomon Fuller baptized, by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Haven named Ira
	At the same time a child of Michael Harris—Sally
	At the same time a child of Joshua Brown named Caty
Sepr. 12. 1790	Two children of Asa Daggett baptized by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Smith—named Jabez & Polly
	At the same time Rebecca the wife of Moses Garfield, and Hannah Ayres, baptized,

April 3. 1791.	The child of Moses Fuller baptized by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Haven—named Hervy
	At the same time the child of Ebenezer McIntosh named Francis
	At the same time a child of Isaac Shepard named Hannah
May 15. 1791.	The child of Moses Garfield baptized, by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Foster named George
	At the same time, the child of William Clarke, named Cynthia
June 26. 1791	The child of John Willson baptized, by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Thacher named John Fisher
July 24. 1791.	The child of Henry Glover baptized by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Newell—named—Rebecca
August 7. 1791.	The child of Moses Eaton baptized by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Caryl named Elizabeth.
March ye 4. 1792—	The child of William Clarke baptized by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Haven named Caty
April 8. 1792	The child of Joshua Lewis baptized, by the Rev^{d}. M^{r}. Greenough named—Calvin Smith
May 27. 1792	The child of Thomas H. Townsend, baptized, by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Caryl—named Mary Ann Hubbard
	At the same time the child of Michael Harris, named Caty
July th. 1. 1792	The child of Benjamin Deavenport baptized, by the rev^{d}. M^{r}. Haven named—Lot.
	Records continued by Mr. Palmer.
Sep^{t}. ye 16. 1798	Esther Kingsbery, baptized
Aug. ye 31. 1800	At the same time the widow Abigail Fuller — Mary Gay, the wife of Jonathan Gay jun^{r}—and Susanna Fisher, were baptized,
January ye 4 1801	Lydia Smith—the wife of Phinehas Smith—baptized & admitted to full Communion—*Privatim quia valdé ægrota est*—
Feby. ye 19. 1804	* * * and also Susanna—the wife of Michael Harris Junr—baptized
July ye 22. 1804	Sarah Whiting—and Mary Newell Whiting baptized
Decr. ye 9. 1804	Elizabeth Kingsbery the wife of David Kingsbery * * * and was baptized * * * (privatim quia ægrotat)
August ye 25. 1805	* * * and also Lucy Broad—baptized
Feby. 28. 1808	Jeremiah Kingsbery, and Lydia his wife baptized
June ye 12 1808	Mehitable Fisher — the wife of Samuel Fisher Elizabeth Kingsbery—Lydia Fisher and Fanny Fisher baptized
Sep^{r}—18. 1808	Benjamin Slack admitted * * * and Sarah his wife baptized
March 19. 1809	Sukey Fefsenden baptized
	Betsey Hunting baptized * * * December ye 2. 1810
May 7. 1809—	ye child of Moses Fisher (offered by his wife) named Patty
July 9	ye child of Jonathan Newell named—Jonathan Kingsbery

July 16	ye child of Nathaniel Ware named Nancy Kingsbery
	At the same time, the child of Paul Alden named Silas
Octr. 22	ye child of Michael Harris Junr named—Grenville
Decr. 24	child of Dr. Samuel Gould named Sarah Kingsbery
April 1. 1810.	ye child of Cyrus Kingsbery (offered by his wife) — named Rebecca Garfield
June 3.	ye child of George Garfield (offered by his wife) named —Moses
January 27. 1811.	ye child of Job Skinner (offered by his wife) named Albert.
May 5.	ye child of Moses Fisher (offered by his wife) named Moses.
	At the same time ye child of Jonathan Newell named Leonard
Augt 11.	child of Newell Ellis (offered by his wife)—the mother in law of the child—and who, in difcharge of a christian duty, presented it) named Nancy Newell.
	At the same time, the child of Luther Gay (offered by his wife) named Hannah Brown
Aug^t—25—	ye child of David Scott named David.
Sep^r—8	ye child of Elisha Lyon named—Joshua Brown
Octr. 27	Baptize two children of Luther Smith (offered by his wife) named Leonard & William
Decr. 1.	child of William Eaton (offered by his wife) named Louisa
Jany. 5. 1812	ye child of George Garfield (offered by his wife) named Rebecca Ayers.
March 8. 1812.	ye child of Paul Alden — — Ebenezer Newell
March 15.	ye child of Cyrus Kingsbury (offered by his wife) named Sukey Feſsenden
June. 7—	ye child of John Tolman (offered by his wife) named James Bartimeus

This concludes the baptisms recorded in the *original* first book, and the number is 1618; there may have been three or four more, now worn off.

The last five baptisms recorded in the first book are repeated, with slight variations in form, at the beginning of the second book. The following are from the latter:

Subsequent to the first entry, the words "Baptized the," and the dashes, when of no value, will usually be omitted; and the name of the person baptized, sometimes underlined, will be set in Roman.

Jan. 3, 1813—	Baptized the child of Michael Harris Junr — — — — — — — — — — — — — named Lucy Stevens
April 25—	child of Cyrus Kingsbury (offered by his wife) named Moses Garfield
May 16—	child of Luther Gay (offered by his wife) named George Hiram [working on his farm in 1903.]
Aug^t—14	child of Jeremiah Kingsbury—(Privatim quia ægrotat)—named— Abigail Phillips
Aug^t—15—	child of Benjamin Slack — — Clariſsa.
Aug^t—22	child of Job Skinner (offered by his wife) named Lona Emeline

Sep^{r}–12—	children of the late Benjamin Cheney (offered by their widowed mother.) named Betsey[,] Edmund Snow & William.
Sep^{r}–12—	child of George Garfield (offered by his wife) named Hector.
May 15. 1814—	child of Timothy Broad (offered by his wife) named Lucy Smith.
Jan. 8, 1815.	child of Cyrus Kingsbury (offered by his wife) named —Augustus.
April 16—	child of George Garfield (offered by his wife) named George Washington.
June 4—	ye child of Elisha Lyon—named Mary Ann.
July 2—	The child of Luther Gay (offered bv his wife) baptized by Dr. Kirkland—named Mary Goodenow.
May 5, 1816—	children of Enoch Fuller — named — Harriot, Hitty Smith, — & Timothy Smith.
May 19—	child of Lemuel Fairbanks — named Lydia Elizabeth.
July 21–1816—	children of Joseph Newell named Adeline[,] Sarah Tisdale[,] Joseph Allen & Walter.
Oct^{r}–13.	children of Joseph Mills (offered by his wife) named Martha [&] Mary twins. Joseph Hunting & Elizabeth Ann
Novr. 17.	child of Nathan Dewing Junr (offered by his wife) George.
Feb. 23, 1817—	children of the late Calvin Broad (privatim quia una ægrotat) offered by their widowed mother, named Catharine McIntosh & Priscilla.
April 27	child of Luther Gay (offered by his wife) named Betsey Clark.
May 11	ye child of Luther Smith (offered by his wife) Mary Ann.
May 11, 1817.	ye child of Cyrus Kingsbury (offered by his wife) Chester.
May 25.	child of Newell Smith named Timothy Newell.
June 1.	child of Geo. Garfield (offered by his wife) named Edwin.
June 22	ye child of Joseph Mills (offered by his wife) named—George
July 27—	ye child of Jeremiah Kingsbury named Abigail Phillips.
Sep^{r}–14	child of Joseph Newell named Lucius.
	At the same time the children of Joseph Bullin named Mary & Caroline.
Sep^{r}–21,	child of Job Skinner (offered by his wife) named Charles Henry.
Oct^{r}–19	child of the late Amaziah Bullen Junr. (offered by the widowed mother) named Harriot
Oct. 26—	children of Elisha Bullen (offered by his wife) named Joseph Mills [,] Isaac [,] Ira & Elizabeth Hunting
Oct^{r}–31.	children of David Scott (privatim quia una ægrotat) named Charles & Julia Ann.
April 26, 1818.	child of Elisha Lyon named Elisha Hiram.
Sep^{r}–27—	child of Spencer Fuller named Spencer.

January 31. 1819	child of Dr. Samuel Gould named Mary Ann.
April 11—	Baptized, by the rev. Mr. Lamson, (and the first baptism he administered) the child of Elisha Bullen (offered by his wife) named Amaziah
June 13—	child of Nathan Dewing Junr—(offered by his wife) named Susanna Lydia Richards
June 27—	child of Joseph Mills (offered by his wife) Harriot
	At the same time the child of Cyrus Kingsbury (offered by his wife) named Elizabeth
	At the same time the children of Samuel McIntosh named Martha Smith[,] Elizabeth Dewing[,] Royal and Samuel
September 5	children of Josiah Kingsbury (offered by his wife) named Almira and Eliza Ann
October 24	child of George Garfield (offered by his wife) by Dr. Richmond named Willard
October 31.	The child of Samuel M^{c}-..Intosh, baptized by Dr. Kirkland named Aaron Smith.
Feb. 6. 1820.	The children of the late Joseph Rufsel (offered by thier mother, now the wife of Daniel Ware) baptized by the rev. Mr Sanger, named Harriot[,] Alfred and Lavina
May 14.	The child of Newell Ellis (offered by his wife) baptized by the rev. Mr Pierce, named Elizabeth.
	At the same time, the child of Elisha Lyon, named Hannah.
October 22.	The child of Joseph Mills (offered by his wife) baptized by the rev. Mr Rich named John
	At the same sime, the child of Newell Smith named Catharine Elizabeth [living 1903.]
January 29. 1821.	The child of Jonathan Newell, baptized (in private) by the rev. Mr Sanger named George Curtis
June 8.	The child of Samuel M^{c},'Intosh, baptized by the rev. Mr. Ritchey named William Henry
April 9 1821	The children of Nathaniel Wilson baptized by the Rev. Mr. Noyes named Emely Hoton, Tily Tucker, George Warren and Sarah Hunt
Nov 18 1821	The child of George Garfield baptized by the Rev. Mr Sanger named Eleanor

The Rev. William Ritchie, A.B. (Dartmouth 1804), installed December 12, 1821, died February 22, 1842, continued Mr. Palmer's customs as to phraseology, underlining and dashes; the introduction to Mr. Palmer's records, so far as it concerns omissions, applies to those of Mr. Ritchie.

Dec' 23, 1821—	Baptized The child of Luther Gay (offered by his widow) named *Sally Jackson*—
May 26 1822	Baptized by the Rev. Mr Brimblecom the child of Joseph Mills (offered by his wife) named Caroline
June 2 1822	Baptized the child of Joseph Stedman named Frances
	["Baptized the" will hereinafter be omitted in entries *exactly* like the foregoing.]
	At the same time the child of Spencer Fuller named Reuben

July 21	children of Mr Samuel Alden (offered by his wife named Harriot & Eliot.
	Also the children of the widow Margaret Hunting named Sarah & Harriot.
October 6 1822	children of Mr Nathan Dewing jun. (offered by his wife) named Frances & Willard
September 7 [1823?]	children of Mr Cyrus Kingsbury (offered by his wife) named Cyrus & Nancy.
October 5 1823	child of Mr. Joseph Newel named Martial [Marshall]
December 22 1823	child of Mr Frederic Cabot named Mary Ann
February 3 1824	child of Dea^{n}. Jonathan Newel named Mary Morey
September 19. 1824	child of Mr Rufus Mills, offered by his wife, named, Stephen Palmer
October 17. 1824,	child of Mr. Samuel McIntosh named Maria
Nov^{r}.-14th. 1824	Baptized Eunice Mann, wife of Hollis Mann
March 13th 1825	child of Mr Joseph Stedman named Henry
July–1825— —	child of Mr. Frederic Cabot named Francis
September 25, 1825	Baptized my child. named John Francis
October 16. 1825.	child [of] Dea^{n}. Jonathan Newel named George Curtis
May 14. 1826	child of Mr Ralph Smith (offered by his wife) named Ralph Hiram
	Also the child of Mr. Lemuel Mills jun. named Lucy Morey
	Also the children of Mr Lemuel Fairbanks (offered by his wife) named Catharine Lucy and Mary Dana
June 11. 1826	child of Mr Rufus Mills (offered by his wife) named Rufus Haven
Nov. 4. 1827	Baptized, by the Rev Mr Flagg, the child of Mr Ralph Smith (offered by his wife) named Elisha Lion.
Nov. 8. 1827	child of Deacon Jonathan Newel named Julius
Jan. 20 1828.	child of Mr Timothy Woodcock named Mary Washburn
April 13. 1828.—	Child of Mr. Christopher Hank named Charles
April 21. 1828	Baptized Mrs. Polly Bullen, wife of Mr Thadeus Bullen, * * * at her house, she being apparently near the close of life. Also at the same time her children named Abiram [,] Thadeus and Lucenda Smith
	And the next sabbath April 27—another daughter not present when the others were baptized named Marian
August 17. 1828	child of Mr Rufus Mills (offered by his wife) named Sarah Elizabeth
October 27. 1828.	children of Capt.. Calvin Gay (offered by his wife) named Calvin Goodenow [,] William [,] Jonathan Edward [,] Mary Elizabeth [,] George
Nov. 23. 1828.	Rev. Mr. Flagg baptized the children of Mr. Samuel M^{c},,Intosh named Ephraim Dewing [,] Susan Maria
April 26. 1829	child of Mr. Timothy Woodcock named Adaline Newel
May 17. 1829.	children of Mr. Lemuel Lyon 2nd,, (offered by his wife) named Israel Whitney and Sarah Brown.
July 12. 1829	child of Mr Christopher Hank named Maria Elizabeth.
March 10 1830.	child of Mr Lemuel Mills jun., at his house the child being very sick, named George Morey

May 9. 1830	child of Mr Lemuel Lyon 2nd,, (offered by his wife named Ellen Frances
May 23. 1830	Baptized Daniel Kingsbury and Ruby his wife. Also Lucinda, Artemas, Theron, Willard, Ann, Charles, James, and William the children of Artemas Newel.
September 5 1830	child of Rufus Mills, (offered by his wife) named Dexter Townsend
Nov 21. 1830.	children of Mr Ebenezer W. McIntosh, (offered by his wife named William Washington [,] Susan Pratt [,] Ellen [,] Sylvester [,] Hiram
May 22 1831	child of Mr Christopher Hank named William
	At the same time Baptized the child of Mr Timothy Woodcock named Ann
October 2. 1831.	child of Mr Lemuel Lyon 2nd.. (offered by his wife) named Ellen Frances
October 7, 1832	child of widow Sukey—Kingsbury named Emely Rebekah
Feb. 10. 1833	child of Mr Joshua [Brown] Lyon named Lucy Mehetable
June 16. 1833.	child of Mr Rufus Mills named William Ritchie
	Also at the same time an adopted dughter (*sic*) of Mr John Bird named Sarah Charlotte
	Also at the same time Mrs Eliza Gorham wife of John J. Gorham and their children named Eliza Matilda & Charlotte Palmer.
November 3. 1833	children of Mr James Smith (offered by his wife named Mira and Sarah Elizabeth
	Also at the Same time the children of the late Curtis McIntosh (offered by their widoed (*sic*) mother, named Charles & Curtis.
April 6. 1834	children of Mrs Lucy Bacon named George [,] Lucy Anne [,] Sarah
June 8. 1834.	child of Mr Timothy Woodcock named Sarah Tisdale
September 21. 1834	child of Mr Leonard Battelle named Joseph Warren
September 28. 1834	child of Mr John J. Gorham (offered by his wife) named Matilda Leverette
August 23. 1835	child of Mr Rufus Mills named Edward Augustus
April 24 1836	child of Mr John J. Gorham (offered by his wife,) named Frances Ellen.
August 7. 1836	child of Mr Edgar [Kimball] Whitaker. — named George
January 2. 1837	children of Mr. Samuel Mc,.Intosh named Priscilla Broad [,] Josephine and Frederic
July 30	child of Mr Reynolds (offered by the grandmother) named Sarah Hellen
December 10 1837	child of Mr Lyman Greenwood named Lydia Ann Maria
March 14. 1838.	child of Mr Edgar K. Whitaker at his house in Boston named William Ritchie
July 22. 1838.	child of Mr Rufus Mills named Catharine Haven
March 13. 1840	child of Mr John Kingsbury 2nd,, offered by his wife named Zolon Zelotes

May 31. 1840	child of Mr Lyman Greenwood named Theodore Lyman
August 8. 1841	child of Mr Rufus Mills named Lorette Matilda
December 19 1841.	Rev. Daniel Kimball baptized the child of Mr Edgar K. Whitaker named Catharine Cravath.

The Rev. Lyman Maynard, installed September 7, 1842, continued the record of baptisms in the same manner except that he did not underline the names of persons baptized.

Oct. 5th–1842—	children of Wm. D. and Eliza Kingsbury — named Eliza Jane and William Hooper
January 28. 1844	child of Edgar K. and Catherine C. Whiteker—named Channing
Nov. 17, 1844	child of Mr James and Mary Jane Ritchie—named Harriet Washburn
August 17. 1845	child of Edgar K. and Catherine C. Whitaker—named Edmund Quincy
September 6.	child of Wm. D. and Eliza Kingsbury—named, Lucy Deming

The Rev. Charles Henry Appleton Dall, A.M., Sixth Pastor of the First Church in Needham, installed February 7, 1847, continued the record of baptisms "bringing the Records from 1st.. of October 1846 when he Commenced preaching."

Mr. Dall's records will be given in full, except that he occasionally underlined the name of a person, and all the names will be set in Roman subsequent to the first two entries.

Feb. 14, 1847	Baptised at the family altar, widow *Anna* Felton.—
Feb 14.— . . —	At same place, *Ellen Lucretia* & *Thomas Edward.* (children of Thomas Larkin *Smith* and Ellen Lucretia his wife.)
March 21. . . —	At our public altar, Mary Caroline (7 weeks) infant of Catharine Cravath Holland and Edgar Kimball Whitaker.
April 11th . .	At our public altar Elizabeth Lavisa aged 15 yrs & 11 mos (daughter of Daniel and Cynthia Cadwell of Wilbraham Mass
April 11th . .	At the family altar, Harriet Maria daughter of Timothy Daniell and Abby P. Kingsbury his wife.—
May 9th . .	At the family altar Mary Cook Smith wife of Charles Felton. At ye same time,
May 9th . . —	Daniel Cook, Mary Ann, and Sarah Jane, children of Charles Felton and Mary Cook Smith, his wife. Baptised at home.
Sunday June 6—	Harriet Maria (aged 13) Henrietta (aged 8) Frank (aged 2) and Herbert Scarborough (15 weeks) Children of George G. Stevens & Harriet Russel his wife. At ye family altar.
Sunday July 4.	Sarah Brown, (daughter of Ralph Smith and Sally Lyon his wife) aged 18 yrs at our public altar.

Sunday Nov 7. Reuben Newell (infant Son of Timothy Daniell & Abby P. Kingsbury his wife) at our public altar.—

Sunday Sep^{tr} .. 10. 1848—Miss Betsey Sumner Kingsbury. Aged 18 (at our public altar.)

Sunday Dec^{r}. . 17th: 1848—John Crane infant son of John Kingsbury & Lucinda Orr his wife. (at the family altar.)

Sunday Oct 1. 1848—Sarah Holland infant daughter of Edgar K. Whitaker & Catharine C. Holland his wife (at our public altar.)

Sunday Aug 19th . . —[1849.] Hannah Maria, 6 yrs Charles William 4 yrs and Nathaniel 1 y^{r}.: children of Charles A. Hines & his wife Mary G. Hatch. At the family altar. [Their son George Wilkins was baptized "Sep. 10, 1850," and but one other baptism of a child was recorded in nine years.]

—Sunday Septr 2^{d} . . Charlotte Sophia infant daughter of James Ritchie & Mary Jane Kimball his wife—at our public altar.

—Tuesday Dec 18th . . 1849—Anna Sophia infant daughter of Frederic & Emeline Kebler.—

—Wednesday Dec 26.—Hermina Christophina, (born Oct 15. 1848) infant daughter of Henry Webber & Adriana Gezina Van Heukelom his wife

Mr. Dall's ministry ended with 1849.

The following record of baptisms is found later in the second book; some of the names are underlined.

Sept^{r}–17, 1817—	Joseph Bullen baptized,
Oct^{r}–5, 1817—	* * * At the same time, Harriot Bullen, widow of the late Amaziah Bullen Junr—baptized
April 9. 1821.	Nathaniel Wilson, * * * , and was baptized.
April 21, 1822	Lavinia Alden Baptized
Dec^{r},, 9. [1827.]	Rachel Gay, wife of Jonathan Gay jun. Baptized
1828 Jan. 20	Hannah Woodcock and Timothy Woodcock baptized
1828. March 2.	Christopher Hank and Louisa his wife baptized
1830 May 23	Artemas Newel admitted * * * and Rebekah Newel his wife was baptised
October 24 1830.	Hannah M^{c},,Intosh, wife of Mr Ebenezer W. M^{c},,Intosh, baptised
May 5. 1833	John S. Bird was baptised
June 16. 1833	Daniel Kingsbury was baptised
July. 7. 1833.	William Willard Mann and Cynthia Man his wife were baptised
July 28. 1833	Sarah Dewing baptised
October 20. 1833.	Thomas Kingsbury and Clarissa his wife and Lucy Bacon were baptised
December 1. 1833	* * * William Dewing was baptised
March 23. 1834.	Sarah Farwell * * * baptised.
March 8. 1835	Sally Smith, widow of Amraphael Smith, was baptized
December 10 1837.	Lyman Greenwood * * * Celia Hagar, wife of Joseph Hagar, and Betsey Hagar * * * baptised,
March 4 1838	Charlotte Hagar was Baptised
June 9, 1839	Julia Ann Bodge, wife of Ellis Bodge, was baptized

Total number of baptisms, 1720–1849, First Church in Needham, 1853.

GRAVEYARD INSCRIPTIONS AT EAST NECK, WATERFORD, CONN.

Communicated by BENJAMIN F. GATES, Esq., of New London, Conn.

THE following inscriptions have been copied from all the stones in an old graveyard at East Neck, or what is called Pepper Box Hill, in Waterford, Conn., before 1801 a part of New London, Conn. Recently a portion of the yard has been appropriated for a chapel for religious purposes, but I have been informed by Mr. Edward C. Kenyon, whose house stands close beside the yard, that there were not any inscribed stones on the part occupied by the chapel.

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In Memory of | Mrs Mehetable Tinker wife | of John Tinker Junr. | who died Octr. 14th. 1784 | in the 39th. year of her Age

In Memory of Mr. John Tinker Junr. | who died April 7th. 1791 | in the 50th. year of his age

In memory of Rogers Tinker | who died Sep. 18th. 1798 | in the 23 year of his age

In Memory of Mr John Tinker | who died Octr. 25th. 1811 | Aet 32 years

In Memory of | Mr James Rogers, | who died April 20th. 1790 | in the 73^{d}. year of his Age

In Memory of M^{rs} | Mehetable Rogers Wife | of Mr James Rogers. who | died Decr. 8th. 1787 | in the 64 year of her Age

Fanny. Daugh^{r}. of | Mr Isaac & Molley Rogers | died May 23^{d}. 1793 | Age 1 year & 6 Mo.

In Memory of | Napoleon B. | Son of Isaac & Mary | Rogers who died | Jany. 22^{d}. 1808 | Æt 7 years

In Memory of | David Rogers, | son of Isaac & Mary | Rogers, who died | Augt. 22^{d}. 1810 | Æt. 21 years

In Memory of | Mehetible Daughter to | Lieut Solomon Rogers & | Lucretia his wife | who died Sept, 3^{d}. 1782 | Age 8 weeks & 3 days

In Memory of | Amon son of | Mr James & Mehetable | Rogers who died | April 24th. 1753 | Age 3 weeks

In Memory of | M^{rs}. Sarah Rogers | Widow of Mr James Rogers | who died January 4th. 1752 | Age 73 years

In Memory of | Mr Philip Taber | who died Dec. 27th. 1750 | Age 68 years

Eleanor Turner | 1764

Eleanor ye wife | of Pain Turner | who died May 23, 1764 | in the 40th year of her Age

Mr. John Harris

In Memory of | Mrs Sarah* wife of | Mr Stephen Gorton | who died Aug 5th. 1766 | in the 84 year of her | Age

Here Lieth the Body of | Mrs Phebe Taber wife to | Mr Pardon Taber | who died Mar 29th. 17[†]

* Widow of Jonathan Haynes, and daughter of James Rogers 2d.
† The stone is too much scaled to decipher the rest of the inscription.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM TRASKE AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS.

By William Blake Trask, A.M., assisted by Miss M. B. Fairbanks.

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Addenda.

3. John Loomis (*ante*, vol. 55, p. 323). Nothing has ever been known concerning his daughter Mary or her brother John, Jr., but a deed recently discovered in Salem (Essex Co. Deeds, vol. 46, p. 236) shows that in July, 1728, John Loomis, husbandman, "For and in consideration of the sum of twenty shillings & for my Love good will & affection I have to Edwd Pepper & 20^s^. to me in hand ... paid by my couzen Edward Pepper" gives to him "all my Real & personal Estate that I am Owner of in this World." This was but a short time before John, Jr., died; and from another deed we learn that his nephew, and his nephew's wife Mary, took care of him in his last sickness. He was probably unmarried.

The inference from the foregoing is that the daughter Mary Loomis married a Pepper, and that Edward Pepper was her son, but positive proof is lacking. We learn from the Salem Records (vol. 3, p. 130) that Edward Pepper, of that town, married, 5 Aug., 1707, Mary Can of Reading. An old tax list of 1738, in the possession of Mrs. D. H. Felton of Peabody, has his name.

5. William[2] Trask (vol. 55, p. 324). The date of the transfer of the "pt of the dwelling house" to his brother John was 1678, not 1672. There seems to be little evidence to support the family tradition that the "Black Horse Tavern" was built by William[2] Trask in 1680. On the contrary, it appears that John[3] Trask (10), his son, erected in 1718 the house which has been owned and occupied by the family for so many years.

iii. Sarah[3] Trask (*William*,[2] 5) (vol. 55, p. 325). The old Norfolk Co. Records, in Salem, state that John Williams, Jr., married, 15 Feb., 1694–5, a Sarah Trask.

8. William[3] Trask (vol. 55, p. 385) died 20 Nov., 1745.

iii. Mary[4] Trask (*George*,[3] 13) (vol. 56, p. 69) married, 4 Oct., 1743, Robert Leach. Not until recently has her identity been established. They were the parents of John Leach, born in Salem, 5 Nov., 1747, who married (1) Sarah Hooper; and married (2), 18 May, 1783, Ruth, born 12 Feb., 1761, died 18 May, 1850, daughter of Benjamin and Ruth (Hardy) Ropes. He died at sea, 6 Oct., 1804. He was a master-mariner and merchant, and a naval commander in the Revolution.

iv. Mary[4] Trask (*Nicholas*,[3] 18) (vol. 56, p. 73) married in Boston, 12 Nov., 1734, Richard Sergeant or Sargent.

vi. ABIGAIL[4] TRASK (*Nicholas,*[3] 18) (vol. 56, p. 73). It was another Abigail Trask, perhaps a niece, whose intention of marriage is found in Mendon town records, for this Abigail died single, as shown by a deed (Worcester Co. Deeds, vol. 58, p. 371).

[vii.] DINAH[4] TRASK. Worcester Co. Deeds show that Nicholas[3] Trask (18) (vol. 56, p. 73) had a daughter Dinah, who married (1) 28 Dec., 1735, Samuel Slue; and married (2) John Wilson. She removed with her family to Mendon.

21. WILLIAM[4] TRASK (vol. 56, p. 202). Investigations regarding him and his family have not been very satisfactory, but there is evidence of his having lived in Hingham, where some of his children were baptized. In 1742 he was a resident of Braintree, but the date of his death has not been discovered. He married, 19 Jan., 1720, Sarah Shaw (Scituate Town Records).

Children:

i. A SON,[5] d. 15 Feb., 1724–5, aged 6 weeks.
ii. A SON, d. 29 June, 1725, aged 3 months.
iii. SARAH, bapt. 23 Oct., 1726.
iv. ANNE, bapt. 13 Aug., 1727; m. in 1746, Elijah, b. 10 May, 1722, son of Eleazer and Lydia Veazie of Braintree.
v. HANNAH, bapt. 24 Feb., 1733–4; m. 28 June, 1751, Abiezer, b. 15 Oct., 1725, d. Dec., 1801, son of Abiezer and Ruth (Vinson) Holbrook. She d. 1 July, 1773, aged 43 years (Weymouth Town Records).
vi. WILLIAM, bapt. 24 Feb., 1733–4; m. in 1761, Sarah Greenwood (Milton Town Records).
vii. SAMUEL, bapt. 26 Dec., 1736; m. (1) 1 Dec., 1757, Abigail, b. 22 Apr., 1739, dau. of Joseph and Lydia (White) Pray of Braintree; m. (2) int. 3 Sept., 1780, Rebecca Newton, who d. 21 Apr., 1823. He died 28 Mch., 1808.
viii. JOHN(?), bapt. 13 July, 1740; m. int. 5 Apr., 1759, Mary Merriam.

23. JOHN[4] TRASK (vol. 56, p. 202). The Plymouth Co. Court Files show the marriage, 28 Feb., 1726, of Penelope White to a John whose surname has been interpreted as *Grass*, but it is almost certain that the "G" was intended for "T," and that he was this John Trask.

ii. SAMUEL[5] TRASK (*John,*[4] 23) (vol. 56, p. 202) died in Bridgewater, 25 Sept., 1735, in his 5th year.

iii. SARAH[5] TRASK (*John,*[4] 23) (vol. 56, p. 202) married Samuel, son of Dea. Nathaniel and Sarah (Withington) Holmes, and not the son of John and Keziah (Thorp) Holmes. He was born in Dorchester, 4 Sept., 1726, and died in Stoughton, 26 May, 1786. His wife Sarah[5] died 22 July, 1804.

ii. LYDIA[5] TRASK (*Edward,*[4] 27) (vol. 56, p. 399) married Abel Waters, whose mother was Elizabeth, born in Salem, 30 Mar., 1701, daughter of Abel and Sarah (Porter) Gardiner.

iii. SAMUEL[5] TRASK (*Samuel,*[4] 29) (vol. 56, p. 401) resided at Leicester, and died 2 June, 1826. He had eight children.

ix. JONATHAN[5] TRASK (*Samuel,*[4] 29) (vol. 56, p. 401) died 26 Apr., 1841; and his wife died 16 Feb., 1839.

x. Amos[5] Trask (*Samuel*,[4] 29) (vol. 56, p. 401) died in Dixfield, Me., 14 Nov., 1821. He was regarded as one of the "good fathers" of the town, and his death was deeply lamented. His wife, born 27 Aug., 1771, died in 1863, was a daughter of Moses Park of Sutton.

xii. Osborn[5] Trask (*Samuel*,[4] 29) (vol. 56, p. 401) was one of the pioneer settlers of Hartford, Me. One of his children was Leonard,[6] the "Wonderful Invalid," a sketch of whose life and sufferings was published by himself, in a small pamphlet, in 1857.

xiv. Aaron[5] Trask (*Samuel*,[4] 29) (vol. 56, p. 401) removed from Millbury to Michigan, in 1844, and died 13 July, 1846. His wife died 25 Sept., 1870.

i. Henry[5] Trask (*Henry*,[4] 32) (vol. 57, p. 66). His widow Lydia died 20 Dec., 1823, aged 75 years.

NEW HAMPSHIRE NOTES—1735—THOSE WHO AGREED NOT TO RECEIVE THEM.

By Andrew McFarland Davis, A.M., of Cambridge, Mass.

After the July Register (see *ante*, page 274), containing the names of Boston merchants, participants in banking experiments in the first half of the eighteenth century, had gone to press, I received from Worcester a list dated March 25, 1735, of subscribers to an agreement not to receive in trade the notes which the New Hampshire merchants were either then issuing or about to issue. This was sent to me by Mr. Edmund M. Barton, librarian of the American Antiquarian Society, who had interested himself in my behalf and had copied the same from the *Weekly Rehearsal* of April 14, 1735.

The province of New Hampshire was, in 1735, so closely allied to Massachusetts Bay that any information of an attempt in Boston to frustrate the establishment of a bank of issue in Portsmouth would compel recognition in a study of the attitude of the Boston merchants on the currency question. Such recognition would of course be all the more imperative if the scheme were engineered by Boston men, as seems to be hinted in the first paragraph of the preamble to the annexed agreement. While this is true, it is equally true that the same interest does not attach to the New Hampshire experiment as is aroused by the merchants' notes of 1733, or by the Land and Silver Banks. The sentiment of Boston was thoroughly hostile to the notes, the Governor was outspoken in his contempt of the scheme, and the assembly promptly passed a law making it a penal offence to receive or pass any of the bills or notes. In this law they are described as "payable in New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island bills or in silver, gold or hemp at the unknown price they may be at Portsmouth in New Hampshire, *anno* 1747," thus suggesting the possibility that some of the inflationists who subsequently organized the Land

Bank might have had a hand in their evolution. As a matter of fact, however, the notes actually issued, which were dated December 25, 1734, were payable December 25th, 1746, "in silver or gold at the then current price, or in passable bills of credit on the Provinces of New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut Colony with interest of one per cent per annum from the date," etc. This indicates a change of mind after the promulgation of the scheme, and the bait offered the public in the way of interest shows plainly that, even without the dead weight of a future redemption in produce, the bills required some special inducement to secure their popularity. From the few traces to be obtained of the career of the Company it is evident that even with this claim for their favorable reception these notes were not welcomed by the public.

It was stated in the communication to the REGISTER entitled "Boston Banks—1681–1740—Those who were interested in them" that the subject by its limitations did not require the consideration of the New Hampshire merchants' notes of 1734. This was of course strictly true in a paper entitled "Boston Banks, etc.," but, as I have already said, the opening paragraph of the agreement not to receive the notes brings before us the fact that the Portsmouth merchants were not alone responsible for the Company. It would be a matter of interest to find out who among the Boston merchants were interested in it. We should naturally expect that the experiment would have been encouraged by those who subsequently became interested in the Land Bank, or at any rate that they did not openly discourage it, but among the subscribers to the agreement were John Colman, the founder of the Land Bank, Samuel Adams, a leading director, and William Stoddard, a director, also prominent in the management of its affairs. It may be said, of course, that the notes, bearing date three months before, show that the special feature in the programme which would have attracted the Land-Bankers had already been eliminated. It will be noticed, however, that in the Statute, as well as in the agreement not to receive, these notes are spoken of as "either issued or about to be issued," showing that they were not yet in circulation. On the other hand, the statute, passed so late as April 18th, speaks of the notes redeemable in hemp. It would seem, therefore, that in Boston at that date it was still thought that this was to be a feature of the scheme.

There are 198 signatures attached to this agreement, of which 96 are familiar from their presence on one or more of the old lists, 53 being subscribers to the Boston merchants' notes. The most conspicuous name among the new signers is that of John Hancock. Another member of the Hutchinson family is recorded here, Eliakim.

In view of what has already been printed, this agreement loses some of the interest which would otherwise attach to it. Our knowledge of the attitude towards this subject of most of the prominent Boston merchants has been already gained by an examination of the other agreements and subscriptions, and we could predict with reasonable certainty where most of them would stand. The new names, however, introduce a new element, and even if what we learn about those who signed former lists is merely confirmatory of our opinions, still there is some satisfaction in thus establishing the fact that there was ground for our confidence.

Boston, March 25, 1735.

WHEREAS a Number of Persons, partly of this Province, but especially of the Province of *New Hampshire*, have lately Issued, or are now

Issuing Bills of Credit, or promisary Notes of a Sinking and most uncertain Value, whereby (should they thro' Peoples inconsiderateness and unwariness obtain a Currency) not only the Possessor or receiver of them, will finally be a great Sufferer, not being promised any fix't Sum, determinate Quantity, or certain Value of anything, but also Trade and Commerce in general must Stick, or Labour, under great Difficulties, and it will be hardly possible to carry on the common Affairs and Business of the Country with Justice and Equity, the only Foundation of Peace and Safety. *Therefore*, we whose Names are hereunto annex'd, Agree, Covenant and, Promise, that we will neither Directly nor Indirectly Accept, Receive, nor take any of the aforesaid Bills, either for the discharge of any debt, or by way of Barter, or Exchange for any Wares, Goods or Merchandize, or any other thing whatsoever.

William Downe.
Dudson Kilcup.
Edmund Quincy.
Ephraim Mower.
Thomas Cushing, jun.
Benjamin Bagnall.
William Griggs.
John Phillips.
Benja. Hallowell, jun.
Thomas Boylstone.
George Monk.
Edward Tothill.
Samuel Grant.
Joseph White.
Eliakim Hutchinson.
Barrett Dyre.
Peter Kenwood.
John Hancock.
Jeremiah Belknap.
Thomas Gooding.
James Townsend.
Samuel Rand.
Edward Bulkley.
Harrison Gray.
John Gardner.
John Burt.
Thomas Parker.
Benjamin Darling.
Joseph Procter.
Thomas Simpkins.
Samuel Cary, jun.
John Colman, jun.
James Goold.
Abiel Pulcifer.
Briant Parrot.
John Francklyn.
John Arbuthnot.
George Minot.
John Salter.
Edward Vail.
Francis Gatcombe.
Joshua Thornton.
Sampson Salter.
Caleb Lyman.
Edward Ellis.
Henry Howell.
Robert Linst.
William Speakman.

William Nichols.
William Downes.
Edward Jackson.
Thomas Jenner.
John Hunt.
Timothy Emmerson.
John Marshall.
John Ellery.
Ebenezer Fisher.
Isaac Gridley.
Samuel Winslow.
Joseph Dowse.
James Pits.
Rowland Houghton.
Samuel Welles.
Benjamin Clarke.
Thomas Salter.
George Bethune.
Joseph Prince.
John Rauchon.
John Ruck.
John Henderson.
William Jones.
John Compton.
William Lee.
Thomas Valentine.
Stephen Hall.
Joseph Gooch.
Thomas Foster.
Francis Borland.
Benjamin Tont.
William Clarke.
Habijah Savage, jun.
Peter Oliver.
James Minot.
John Fitch.
John Maverick.
John Jekyll.
Joshua Cheever.
Phillip Dumaresque.
William Coffin.
William Kennady.
William & John Jones.
Andrew Sigourney.
Thomas Savage.
Joseph Gerrish.
William Stoddard.
Pyam Blowers.

Thomas Fitch.
Thomas Palmer.
Edward Hutchinson.
John Alford.
Jacob Wendell.
Andrew Faneuil.
James Bowdoin.
Samuel Waldo.
Stephen Boutineau.
John Erving.
Edward Bromfield.
Jonathan Armitage.
Peter Faneuil.
Richard Bill.
Charles Apthorpe.
John Colman.
John Walley.
John Hill.
John Spooner.
Daniel Russell.
John Fayerweather.
Hugh Hall.
Samuel Sewall.
William Tyler.
Joshua Winslow.
Jonathan Jackson.
John Dolbeare.
Samuel Hendley.
Thomas Oxnard.
Benjamin Bird.
Richard Clarke.
Isaac Dupee.
Thomas Boucher.
Rufus Greene.
John Winslow.
John Steel.
Jacob Royal.
Alexander Forsyth.
John Wendell.
Nath. Cunningham.
John Wheelwright.
Samuel Cary.
John Knight.
Andrew Oliver.
Thomas Hubbard.
John Eastwicke.
William Blair.
Jeffry Bedgood.

John Wakefield.
Thomas Hill.
Thomas Hawding.
Daniel Pecker.
Thomas Johnson.
Richard Checkley.
George Gibbs.
Edward Pell.
Elias Parkman.
Gilbert Warner.
John Wendell, Jun.
Hugh McDaniel.
Abiel Walley.
John Billings.
Isaac Casno.
Thomas Tyler.
Daniel Goffe.
John Bannister.
William Browne.
Daniel Johonnot.
Robert Pateshall.
Samuel Adams.
William Foye.
John Merret.
John Clarke.
Henry Pigeon.
John Breck,
David Cutler.
James Davenport.
Benjamin Crocker.
Wilmot Wass.
William Younge.
John Simpson.
Robert Browne.
Samuel Brown.
Benjamin Dolbeare.
Jonathan Clarke.
Edward Winslow.
John Gerrish.
John Webster.
Thomas Greene.
Cornelius Waldo.
John Gooch.
Stephen Minot.
John Phillips.
Charles Coffin.
John Buttolph.
William Bant.
Nicholas Cussens.
John Carnes.
Thomas Lee.
Samuel Greenwood.
Jonathan Mountfort.
Isaac White.

The name of William Speakman suggests the probability that he was the William Spikeman in the former lists. In the same way, Hawding suggests Hawden. John Phillips appears twice, and if Downes and Downe are identical, William Downe also signed twice.

JOHN PARTRIDGE, OF MEDFIELD, MASS., AND HIS DESCENDANTS.

By George Homer Partridge, B.S., of Boston.

[Concluded from page 288.]

42. Henry[4] Partridge (*Eleazer*,[3] *Eleazer*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Walpole, Sept. 6, 1724. He married, July 2, 1747, Mary, born in Dedham, Aug. 25, 1723, daughter of Moses and Mary (Clapp) Chamberlain. They resided in Walpole, where their children were born.

Children:

1. Henry,[5] b. Feb. 17, 1748; m. Oct. 16, 1771, Frances, b. Walpole, Dec. 19, 1753, dau. of Jonathan and Frances Kendall. They resided in Walpole. Children: 1. *Mary*,[6] b. Mch. 1, 1773; m. Feb. 23, 1797, David Bruce, who d. in Walpole, May 12, 1835, aged 68; resided in Walpole; several children. 2. *Thankful*, b. Jan. 1, 1775; d. young. 3. *Frances* (*Fanny*), b. June 27, 1776; m. May 28, 1794, Sewall, b. Walpole, Jan. 16, 1768, son of Eliphalet and Hannah Clapp. 4. *Henry*, b. Feb. 16, 1779; m. Oct. 3, 1802, Catharine, b. Walpole, Dec. 28, 1780, dau. of Major Seth and Joanna Bullard. 5. *Nancy*, b. May 9, 1781; m. July 11, 1804, Daniels, b. Medfield, in 1777, son of Francis and Mary (Daniels) Hamant. She d. in 1815; and he m. (2) Patty Turner of Walpole. He d. in 1854. Three children by first wife. 6. *Eleazer*, b. Mch. 16, 1783. 7. *Jonathan Kendall*, b. Jan. 28, 1785. 8. *Patty*, b. Feb. 26, 1787; m. Nov. 24, 1805, Daniel Payson of Walpole. 9. *Curtis*, b. Apr. 28, 1789; m. Aug. 17, 1815, Mary Morey of Walpole. He d. soon after; and she m. (2) Dec. 9, 1819, Jonathan Newell of Walpole. 10. *Willard*, b. Jan. 17, 1792. 11. *Sukey*, b. Feb. 17, 1794. 12. *Thankful*, b. Nov. 29, 1795.

ii. MARY, b. Aug. 17, 1750; d. Oct. 21, 1756.
iii. THANKFUL, b. Oct. 11, 1752; d. Sept. 29, 1756.
iv. ELEAZER, b. Aug. 24, 1755; d. Oct. 13, 1776.
v. EZEKIEL, b. Apr. 27, 1758; d. Sept. 19, 1776.
vi. RUTH, b. May 3, 1760; d. Sept. 30, 1776.
vii. OTIS, b. Feb. 16, 1764; m. Nov. 16, 1785, Hannah, b. Walpole, Nov. 1, 1767, dau. of Samuel and Anna (Hartshorn) Smith. They resided in Walpole until about 1810, when they removed to Templeton, Mass., where they afterwards lived. He d. Nov. 23, 1827. Children: 1. *Ezekiel*,[6] b. Oct. 28, 1786; d, Apr. 2, 1869; m. Mch. 31, 1808, Anna, b. Walpole, May 1, 1787, d. July 2, 1873, dau. of Palmer Morey. They resided in Walpole until 1810 or 1811, removing thence to Templeton, where they afterwards lived. Twelve children. 2. *Ruth*, b. Aug. 27, 1788; d. Mch. 22, 1864; m. in Walpole, May 31, 1808, Joel Fales, b. Aug. 31, 1782, d. Oct. 30, 1866. They resided in Templeton. Thirteen children. 3. *Otis*, b. Mch. 8, 1790; d. Nov. 1, 1853; m. Jan. 7, 1813, Unity, b. June 4, 1793, d. Dec. 27, 1869, dau. of Abiather and Sarah Fales. They resided in Templeton. Ten children. 4. *Herman*, b. Aug. 25, 1791; d. Oct. 17, 1875; m. (1) Mch. 2, 1817, Harriet Allen; m. (2) Apr. 10, 1829, Betsey Jones, who d. Oct. 11, 1869. Three children by first wife. 5. *Hervey*, b. Aug. 25, 1791; d. Mch. 28, 1859; m. in Walpole, Nov. 6, 1814, Rachel Paine, b. Foxboro', Aug. 9, 1789, d. Aug. 30, 1856. They resided in Walpole and Warwick, Mass. Seven children. 6. *Hannah*, b. Oct. 25, 1793; d. Nov. 16, 1865; m. (1) May 25, 1824, Uriah Merritt, who d. in a few years; m. (2) Dec. 18, 1829, Aaron Jones of Templeton, b. July 30, 1790, d. Sept. 12, 1858. They resided in Templeton. Two children by first husband; five by second husband. 7. *Grata*, b. July 10, 1795; d. Feb. 3, 1869; m. Mch. 3, 1815, Jonas Rice, b. July 15, 1791, d. Mch. 20, 1862. They resided in Templeton. Ten children. 8. *Warren*, b. Jan. 16, 1797; d. Dec. 24, 1852; m. Dec. 4, 1831, Amorette Potter, b. Oct. 2, 1807, d. Apr. 12, 1888. They resided in Princeton, Mass. Six children. 9. *Emmons*, b. Jan. 8, 1799; d. Aug. 8, 1873; m. Feb. 5, 1823, Charlotte, b. Wrentham, Oct. 24, 1802, dau. of Adam and Hannah (Clapp) Boyden. Four children. 10. *Harriet*, b. Jan. 20, 1801; d. July 5, 1836; m. Dec. 2, 1819, Luther Baker, b. Jan. 12, 1797, d. Feb. 4, 1874. Five children. 11. *Lucy*, b. Jan. 13, 1803; d. Oct. 15, 1842; m. Nov., 1823, Abel Davis, b. Feb. 16, 1794, d. Feb. 10, 1858. Nine children. 12. *Mary*, b. Sept. 18, 1804; d. June 4, 1875; m. Jan. 27, 1831, Augustus Appleton Jones, b. Jan. 4, 1797. They resided in Templeton. Five children. 13. *Maynard*, b. Mch. 16, 1807; d. Sept. 22, 1884; m. Apr. 13, 1831, Mary H. Upham, b. Templeton, Feb. 21, 1810, d. May 15, 1882. They resided in Templeton and Phillipston. Three children. 14. *Julia*, b. April 2, 1809; d. Sept. 12, 1830, unmarried. 15. *Amanda*, b. July 13, 1811; d. Aug. 26, 1881; m. May 1, 1831, Uriah B. Moore, who d. Sept. 22, 1884. Eight children. 16. *Samuel Smith*, b. Apr. 18, 1813; d. Jan. 20, 1872; m. (1) Aug. 18, 1835, Susan J. Seekel, who d. June 30, 1845; m. (2) Nov. 12, 1846, Lucy A. Gifford, who d. Dec. 26, 1895, aged 80 yrs. Two children by first wife; six by second wife.

43. LEVI[4] PARTRIDGE (*Job*,[3] *Eleazer*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Wrentham, Sept. 22, 1739. He married, in 1766, Lydia Miller of Keene, N. H. She was born Oct. 25, 1747, and died Nov. 28, 1798. He first settled in Dublin, N. H., but removed about 1779 to Keene. Soon after 1800 he located at Stockbridge, Vt., where he afterwards lived; and where he died Jan. 29, 1813.

Children:

i. LEVI,[5] b. Apr. 28, 1768; d. in infancy.
ii. LYDIA, b. July 30, 1769; d. in 1842. Nothing further known.

iii. LEVI, b. Mch. 18, 1771; d. Mch. 18, 1860; settled in Glover, Vt.; had three sons and three daughters, names unknown.

iv. RHODA, b. Oct. 13, 1774; d. July 6, 1862. Nothing further known.

v. ANNA, b, July 10, 1778; d. Nov. 30, 1858. Nothing further known.

vi. MARTHA, b. Aug. 17, 1780; d. Oct. 24, 1862. Nothing further known.

vii. EXPERIENCE (PEDEE), b. July 27, 1782; d. Apr. 15, 1835. Nothing further known.

viii. ASA, b. Apr. 18, 1786; d. Oct. 26, 1851; m. June, 1808, in Westmoreland, N. H., Charlotte, b. Milford, N. H., Aug. 19, 1786, dau. of David and Lydia (Twitchell) French. She d. July 5, 1871. They resided in Royalton and Stockbridge, Vt. Children: 1. *Caroline*,[6] b. Sept. 27, 1811; d. May 2, 1860; m. Dec. 10, 1840, in Stockbridge, Samuel A., b. Moriah, N. Y., July 18, 1813, d. Northfield, Vt., June 3, 1861, son of Moody and Betsey (Abbott) Johnson. They resided in Stockbridge and Northfield, Vt. Two children. 2. *Hiram Cheney*, b. July 5, 1814; d. Mch. 17, 1815. 3. *Almira*, b. Mch. 20, 1816; d. July 24, 1872; m. in Stockbridge, Vt., Jan. 14, 1834, Warren, b. Stockbridge, Jan. 17, 1797, d. Nov. 24, 1861, son of Uriah and Persis (Goodnow) Hayden. They resided in Stockbridge and Granville, Vt. One son. 4. *Louisa*, b. June 22, 1818; d. Apr. 8, 1893; m. May 6, 1839, Jonas, b. Granville, Vt., Nov. 19, 1812, d. in Rochester, Vt., Nov. 8, 1892, son of Joel and Persis Rice. They resided in Granville, Stockbridge and Rochester, Vt. Six children. 5. *Asa Cheney*, b. July 9, 1820; d. Nov. 2, 1893; m. in Wheeling, W. Va., Oct. 17, 1852, Elizabeth Ann, b. Andover, N. H., June 24, 1824, d. June 8, 1881, dau. of Joseph and Nancy B. (Runnels) Philbrick. They settled in Wheeling, W. Va., in 1848, removing in 1864 to Boston. In 1877 they located in Oakland, Cal., and four years later in San Francisco, where they afterwards lived. Nine children. 6. *Hiram French*, b. May 14, 1823; d. June 14, 1894. 7. *Pedee Alvira*, b. July 14, 1825; m. (1) in Sharon, Vt., Dec. 17, 1825, Rev. John C., b. Fairlee, Vt., Dec. 28, 1807, d. Dec. 9, 1865, son of John Baldwin; m. (2) Sept., 1875, James A., b. Middlebury, Vt., Dec. 14, 1814, d. Aug. 24, 1894, son of Moses and Keziah Severance. They resided in East Middlebury, Vt. No children. 8. *Charles Franklin*, b. Mch. 9, 1828; m. Dec. 18, 1855, Sarah A., b. Stockbridge, Vt., Feb. 7, 1835, dau. of Luther and Lucy (Rogers) Rice. They resided in East Middlebury, Vt. Five children.

ix. ZIBA, b. July 28, 1788; m. Dec. 7, 1812, Mehitabel Gale, b. Dec. 30, 1789, d. Sept. 22, 1826. They resided in Glover, Vt. After death of his wife he removed West, place unknown. No further record. Children: 1. *Merrill*.[6] 2. *Lucius*. 3. *Olin*, b. Dec. 17, 1816; m. Jan. 16, 1853, Julia A. B., b. Sept. 25, 1827, in Bradford, Vt., dau. of Abraham and Mary (Jenkins) Shaw. They resided in Ripon, Wis., where he d. Aug. 16, 1861. One son.

44. BENJAMIN[4] PARTRIDGE (*Benjamin*,[3] *Eleazer*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Bellingham, Oct. 24, 1739. He married in Bellingham, Oct. 21, 1765, Mary, born there Apr. 27, 1743, daughter of Oliver and Elizabeth (Smith) Perry. He was in the Revolutionary service (Mass. Archives), and died at Ticonderoga, N. Y., Sept. 16, 1776. Distribution of his personal property was made among his widow and children, Simeon (eldest son), Jairus, Mary, Sabria and Lois, Sept. 5, 1777 (Suffolk Co. Prob. Rec., vol. lxxvi, p. 185). His widow married second, Apr. 26, 1780, John, son of John and Mary Coombs of Bellingham. Benjamin[4] resided in Bellingham, where his children were born.

Children:

i. SIMEON,[5] was living in 1777. No further record.

ii. JAIRUS, b. June 15, 1768; m. in Holden, Apr. 7, 1791, Betty, b. there

Mch. 6, 1772, dau. of Paul and Eunice (Lovell) Goodale. They resided in Winchendon for a time, where he d. before July 1, 1823 (Worcester Co. Prob., case 45553). Child: 1. *Naomi*,[6] who was living in Winchendon in 1823. Perhaps other children.

iii. MARY, b. Apr. 10, 1772; d. Oct. 6, 1795; m. Apr. 3, 1791, Nathan, b. Bellingham, Nov. 28, 1756, son of Daniel and Deborah (Harding) Penniman. They resided in Bellingham. Two children.

iv. SABRIA, b. Mch. 13, 1775; m. (1) Dec. 13, 1792, Calvin, b. Jan. 6, 1765, d. Aug. 8, 1825, son of Ebenezer and Abigail (Adams) Holbrook. They resided in Mendon and Milford. Ten children. She m. (2) Apr. 5, 1827, Simeon, b. June 23, 1760, d. in 1848, son of John and Sarah Albee of Milford. They resided in Milford. She d. in 1852.

v. LOIS, b. Apr. 14, 1777; d. Oct. 12, 1795.

45. JOB[4] PARTRIDGE (*Benjamin*,[3] *Eleazer*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Bellingham, Feb. 28, 1742. He married, Nov, 29, 1769, Deborah, born in Medway, June 2, 1747, daughter of Jonas and Experience (Leland) Fairbanks. They resided in Bellingham, where their children were born. He died Sept. 10, 1823; and she died Nov. 14, 1827.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH,[5] b. July 18, 1770; d. July 18, 1770.

ii. HANNAH, b. July 18, 1770; d. July 18, 1770.

iii. SARAH, b. Aug. 22, 1771; d. Aug. 11, 1826; m. Jan. 21, 1798, Ichabod, b. Wrentham, Feb. 22, 1762, d. in Franklin, Aug. 26, 1826, son of Benjamin and Lois (Partridge) Pond. They resided in Franklin. Two children.

iv. AARON, b. Sept. 24, 1773; d. March 7, 1846; m. Apr. 11, 1799, Abigail, b. Wrentham, Mch. 7, 1778, dau. of Hezekiah and Lois (Metcalf) Pond. They resided in Bellingham until about 1812, when they removed to Milford. All their children were born in Bellingham. Children: 1. *Nancy*,[6] b. June 24, 1800; d. Aug., 1872; m. Apr. 23, 1823, Theron, b. Milford, Mch. 29, 1798, son of Calvin and Sabria (Partridge) Holbrook. They resided in Milford. Six children. 2. *Abigail*, b. Apr. 3, 1802; d. Dec. 28, 1868; m. Dec. 3, 1818, Abel, b. Milford, Mch. 24, 1797, d. Dec. 25, 1872, son of Abel and Anna (Wood) Albee. They resided in Milford. Five children. 3. *Lucinda*, b. Apr. 5, 1804; m. Oct. 24, 1827, Abijah Stearns Clark. 4. *Aaron*, b. May 2, 1806; d. in Upton, Sept. 7, 1879; m. in Shelburne, May 25, 1828, Hannah Fisk, b. Shelburne, Dec. 8, 1802. They resided in Framingham and Upton. Five children. 5. *Rhoda*, b. June 19, 1809; m. Mch. 4, 1845, Samuel Kinsman. 6. *Elmira*, b. Apr. 21, 1811; m. Mch. 12, 1848, Cyrus Hill of Medway.

v. DEBORAH, b. July 15, 1775; d. Mch. 20, 1815; m. int. pub. July 17, 1803, to Timothy Ellis of Franklin. They resided in Franklin. Six children.

vi. BENJAMIN, b. Apr. 6, 1777; d. Mch. 14, 1853; m. Jan. 16, 1798, Milcah, b. Franklin, July 28, 1778, d. Apr. 5, 1858, dau. of Benjamin and Lois (Partridge) Pond. They resided in Bellingham until 1800, removing thence to Charlton, where they thereafter lived. Children: 1. *Sylvia*,[6] b. Mch. 3, 1799; d. Mch. 3, 1898; m. Mch. 24, 1822, Ebenezer, b. Charlton, Sept. 4, 1793, d. June 23, 1853, son of Ebenezer and Lydia (Davis) White. They resided in Charlton. Children. 2. *Benjamin*, b. in 1802; d. Jan. 16, 1857; m. Harriet, dau. of William and Sabra (Stevens) Needham. They resided in Charlton. Three children. 3. *Mary*, b. in 1804; d. Nov., 1873; m. John Morey of Charlton. They resided in Charlton. Children. 4. *Leonard Pond*, b. Apr. 21, 1810; d. Jan. 7, 1859; m. Oct. 12, 1838, Sophronia N., b. Charlton, Apr. 20, 1819, dau. of Timothy and Sophia (Merriam) Morse. They resided in Charlton. Four children. 5. *Elijah Fairbanks*, b. Dec. 31, 1812; m. Apr. 18, 1838, Ruth S., b. Charlton, Nov. 17, 1818, dau. of David and Ruth (Alexander) Morse. They resided in Charlton. Three children.

vii. JOB, b. May 21, 1779; d. May 24, 1826; m. Apr. 12, 1804, Tamar, b. Aug. 8, 1781, d. Jan. 19, 1831, dau. of Joel (39) and Waitstill (Morse) Partridge. They resided in Bellingham and Milford. Children: 1. *Horace*,[6] b. Apr. 23, 1805; d. Sept. 2, 1853; m. ———. One dau. 2. *Mary*, b. Jan. 18, 1807; m. ——— Adams; resided in West Medway. Children. 3. *Edson*, b. Jan. 6, 1809; d. Apr. 24, 1836. 4. *Joanna*, b. Sept. 12, 1811; d. June 1, 1823. 5. *Joseph*, b. Aug. 24, 1814; d. in 1896; resided in Holliston. Several children. 6. *Betsey*, b. June 6, 1816; d. Mch. 14, 1854. 7. *Eda*, b. Oct. 16, 1818; d. June 14, 1854. 8. *David Sanford*, b. Oct. 4, 1820; m. ———. Children. 9. *George Job*, b. May 19, 1826; d. July 26, 1897; m. Hannah B., b. Holliston, June 8, 1825, d. June 28, 1901, dau. of Jonas Curtis. They resided in Holliston. One son.

viii. RHODA, b. Aug. 11, 1781; m. in Milford, May 19, 1805, Ephraim, b. Milford, Oct. 17, 1781, son of Isaac and Elizabeth Littlefield. They resided in Petersham.

ix. BATHSHEBA, b. Dec. 5, 1784; d. Feb. 22, 1824, unmarried.

x. EXPERIENCE, b. Sept. 14, 1786; d. Oct. 8, 1841; m. Dec. 2, 1806, Ellery, b. Franklin, Mch. 10, 1783, d. in Medway, Jan. 8, 1871, son of John and Abigail (Partridge) Allen. They resided in Franklin. Nine children.

xi. MOSES, b. Sept., 1788; d. Sept. 26, 1824; studied theology under Rev. Nathaniel Emmons of Franklin, and was ordained to the ministry; m. not long before his death. No children.

xii. JONAS, b. April 27, 1790; d. May 8, 1790.

46. JOSEPH[4] PARTRIDGE (*Benjamin*,[3] *Eleazer*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Bellingham, July 24, 1747. He married, April 13, 1775, Catharine, born in Medway, Apr. 9, 1753, died July 13, 1828, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth Richardson. They resided in Bellingham, where their children were born. He died May 24, 1810.

Children:

i. LIBERTY,[5] b. Jan. 13, 1776; d. Aug. 24, 1867; m. (1) Jan. 15, 1799, Submit Miller, b. Winchendon, July 7, 1777, d. Mch. 1, 1813; m. (2) Jan. 31, 1814, Rachel Holbrook, b. Bellingham, Jan. 17, 1777, d. Oct. 29, 1861. They resided in Westminster. Children: 1. *Cata*,[6] b. Dec. 1, 1799; m. Joel Flagg, b. Grafton, June 7, 1788. They resided in Hubbardston and Westminster. Eleven children. 2. *Dana*, b. Mch. 19, 1801; d. Oct. 24, 1801. 3. *Eda*, b. Aug. 27, 1805; m. Timothy Ellis, b. Franklin, Jan. 1, 1799, son of John and Sarah (Ellis) Jones. They resided in Franklin. She d., and he m. (2) Aug. 16, 1847, Eliza F. Feel of Bellingham. Three children by first wife. 4. *Dorinda*, b. Aug. 27, 1805; d. Aug. 17, 1851; m. Oct. 7, 1829, Almond Coleman of Hubbardston, who d. in Gardner, July 15, 1864. Eight children. 5. *Alfred*, b. Aug. 17, 1807; m. Chloe Blake of East Medway. Four children. 6. *Amos*, b. June 23, 1809; d. April 23, 1883; m. Mch. 27, 1836, Melita Reynolds of Charlton. They resided in Westminster. Four children. 7. *Samantha*, b. Feb. 13, 1811; d. Oct. 16, 1881; m. Dec. 30, 1830, Preston, b. Bellingham, Oct. 28, 1803, son of Timothy and Deborah (Partridge) Ellis, who d. Nov. 19, 1889. Five children. 8. *Dinah Holbrook*, b. Apr. 26, 1815; m. George W. Johnson of Westminster. Three children. 9. *Liberty*, b. May 14, 1817; d. Dec. 21, 1832. 10. *Kendrick*, b. June 22, 1819; d. Aug. 24, 1853; m. Emerency Perham of Royalton. One child.

ii. LEVI, b. Apr. 28, 1777; lived in Charlton; m. and had children.

iii. EDA, b. Feb. 4, 1779; d. Oct. 12, 1832, unmarried.

iv. AMOS, b. Dec. 21, 1781; d. Dec. 30, 1861; m. Nov. 24, 1819, Clarissa (Hill), b. Oct. 18, 1783, in Bellingham, dau. of Aaron and Sally (Coombs) Hill and widow of Asa Slocomb. She d. Jan. 12, 1877. They resided in Bellingham. Children: 1. *Amos*,[6] b. July 15, 1820; d. Feb. 21, 1875, unmarried. 2. *Clarissa*, b. Aug. 5, 1822.

3. *Asa*, b. Dec. 28, 1823; d. Mch. 2, 1865; m. Jan. 4, 1859, Jemima A. Fairbanks, b. Apr. 9, 1829. They resided in Bellingham. Two children. 4. *Charles*, b. Dec. 12, 1827; d. Mch. 23, 1880; m. Nov. 27, 1851, Sophronia M. Graham, b. Nov. 30, 1831. Two children.

v. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 6, 1783; d. May 29, 1822.

vi. JOSEPH, b. Oct. 13, 1785; d. Aug. 24, 1814; m. Mch. 8, 1812, Lucy, b. Bellingham, Feb. 7, 1784, d. Dec. 3, 1829, dau. of Daniel, Jr., and Charlotte (Legg) Cook. They resided in Bellingham. Children: 1. *Lucy*,[6] b. Dec. 11, 1812; d. June 29, 1837. 2. *Joseph*, b. Mch. 14, 1815; d. Sept. 2, 1866; m. Lydiette Cushman. They resided in Bellingham. Ten children.

vii. BENJAMIN RICHARDSON, b. Sept. 6, 1787; d. Apr. 17, 1873; m. Dec. 18, 1834, Bathsheba, b. Franklin, Apr. 9, 1800, d. May 1, 1882, dau. of John and Sarah (Ellis) Jones. They resided in Bellingham. No children.

viii. SIMON PETER, b. Feb. 5, 1790; d. Oct. 13, 1797.

ix. SIMEON, b. May 17, 1791; d. Oct. 9, 1797.

x. PHILIP, b. Dec. 1, 1792; d. Mch. 10, 1869; m. Dec. 27, 1821, Athina, b. Hopkinton, July 29, 1798, d. Mch. 7, 1879, dau. of Sylvanus and Mary (Smith) Johnson. They resided in Bellingham until 1824, and afterwards, until their deaths, in Franklin. Children: 1. *Catharine Adams*,[6] b. Jan. 18, 1823; m. Apr. 16, 1845, Seth Inman, a widower. Two children. 2. *Susan Johnson*, b. Nov. 7, 1824; m. Oct. 12, 1848, Emerson Newell, b. Mch. 5, 1823, son of Elisha, Jr., and Rena (Fisher) Bullard. Three children. 3. *Irene Richardson*, b. July 18, 1826; d. Mch. 9, 1901; m. Oct. 1, 1851, Asa, b. Petersham, July 7, 1822, son of Partridge and Lucretia (Holbrook) Pond. They resided in Milford. Two sons. 4. *Julia Ann*, b. Dec. 20, 1829; m. Sept. 22, 1852, Aldrich Daniels. Nine children.

xi. DANA, b. Oct. 17, 1794; d. Sept. 30, 1797.

xii. CATA, b. Aug. 5, 1796; d. Oct. 9, 1797.

xiii. ASENETH, b. Feb. 6, 1798; d. Aug. 2, 1841; m. Sept. 13, 1820, Joseph, b. Bellingham, Jan. 23, 1796, d. there Sept. 21, 1870, son of Amos and Abigail (Thayer) Adams. They resided in Bellingham. Four children.

47. ZACHARIAH[4] PARTRIDGE (*Zachariah*,[3] *Eleazer*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Walpole, Jan. 15, 1744. He settled in Holden, Mass., where he married twice: first, Aug. 31, 1772, Mary Houghton of Holden; and second, Aug. 4, 1779, Mary Whitney of Holden. No records of the births of any children are found.

48. JESSE[4] PARTRIDGE (*Zachariah*,[3] *Eleazer*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Walpole, Feb. 28, 1748. He married Keziah, born in Walpole, May 12, 1752, died Sept. 1, 1819, daughter of Seth and Mary (Bullard) Clapp. They resided in Walpole for a few years after their marriage, but removed about 1775 to Holden, where they thereafter resided. He was in the Revolutionary service from that town (Mass. Archives). He died in Holden, Mch. 29, 1838, and his will was proved June 20, following. In it he mentions his children, Nancy Hubbard, Lucy Warner, Lewis, Ellis, Jesse and Seth Partridge, and five children of his deceased daughter Charlotte, wife of Asa Smith (Worcester Co. Prob., case 45558). The two oldest children were born in Walpole, the others in Holden.

Children:

i. DAVID,[5] b. Oct. 14, 1771; d. young.

ii. NANCY, b. Dec. 15, 1774; m. Apr. 26, 1804, Samuel Hubbard. Four children.

iii. LUCY, b. May 21, 1776; m. (1) Nov. 7, 1793, Elnathan Davis of Holden, who d. Dec. 30, 1804, aged 43; m. (2) May 1, 1806, Thomas Wilder Warner of Rutland. Six children by first husband; four by second husband.

iv. LEWIS, b. Dec. 2, 1778; d. May 5, 1849; m. Rebecca Maynard; resided in Rutland, Mass., afterwards in Holden, where he d. Children: 1. *Lucy*,[6] b. Jan. 23, 1810. 2. *Lewis*, b. Mch. 11, 1812; d. young.

v. ELLIS, b. Sept. 14, 1781; resided in Holden; m. Joanna ———. Children, b. in Holden: 1. *Charles Billings*,[6] b. May 6, 1808. 2. *Edward Emerson*, b. June 1, 1810; resided in Athol. Two children. 3. *Horace Green*, b. Sept. 26, 1812. 4. *Silas Witt*, b. Dec. 3, 1816; resided in Leicester. Six children. 5. *Julia Ann*, d. in infancy. 6. *Julia Ann*, b. July 9, 1822. 7. *Rufus*.

vi. JESSE, b. Feb. 25, 1784; d. in Princeton, in 1851 or 2; resided in Rutland, Sterling and Princeton; m. Lydia ———. Children, the three oldest b. in Rutland, and burned at Sterling, in a fire which destroyed their father's house: 1. *David*,[6] b. June 1, 1807; d. young. 2. *Moses Maynard*, b. Nov. 26, 1808; d. young. 3. *Warren Clapp*, b. Dec. 3, 1811; d. young. 4. *Roxanna*. 5. *Edward*. 6. *Daniel W*. 7. *Elisha*. 8. *Lyman*. 9. *Emmeline*. 10. *Emmeline*. 11. *Emily*.

vii. SETH CLAPP, b. Jan. 18, 1786.

viii. CHARLOTTE, b. Mch. 30, 1797; m. Mch. 30, 1817, Asa Smith of Leominster. Five children.

49. SAMUEL[4] PARTRIDGE (*Samuel*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Franklin, Mch. 31, 1741. He married first, Feb. 2, 1764, Keziah, born in Wrentham, Aug. 29, 1735, died May 20, 1771, daughter of Nathaniel and Susanna Hawes. After her death, he appears to have married second, Elizabeth ———. He died Nov. 9, 1776, while in the Revolutionary service. On Apr. 6, 1778, Amos Partridge and the widow Elizabeth were appointed joint administrators of his estate (Suffolk Co. Prob. Rec., vol. lxxii, p. 375). His children, all by his first wife, were born in Wrentham (now Franklin). Children:

i. PHYLETTE,[5] b. Feb. 24, 1765; m. Jan. 22, 1789, in Franklin, Cyrus Kingsbury of Alstead, N. H.

ii. SYLVESTER, b. Feb. 20, 1766; d. Sept. 5, 1850; m. (1) May 23, 1787, Peggy Morse, who d. Apr. 28, 1790; m. (2) Mch. 10, 1791, Sarah Collins of Franklin, who d. Feb. 4, 1813; m. (3) Feb. 23, 1814, Mrs. Rachel (Brown) Fay, widow of Jesse Fay. She was b. in 1767, and d. May 29, 1861. He resided at Franklin until about 1793, when he removed to Alstead, N. H., where he afterwards lived. Children: 1. *Theron*,[6] b. May 20, 1788; d. Feb. 6, 1858; m. Lydia Rebecca Wentworth, b. at Littleton, Mass., Mch. 23, 1791, d. July 20, 1857, at New Alstead, N. H., where they resided. Three sons. 2. *Peggy*, b. Apr. 27, 1790; d. in 1824. 3. *Samuel*, b. Dec. 19, 1791; d. Oct. 11, 1858; m. in Alstead, N. H., Oct. 25, 1812, Abigail, b. July 1, 1794, d. Oct. 8, 1858, dau. of John and Abigail (Ladd) Ladd. They removed from Alstead, in 1817, to Potsdam, N. Y., where he afterwards lived. Ten children. 4. *Erastus*, b. July 15, 1794; d. Apr. 10. 1812. 5. *Sarah*, b. June 3, 1796; m. Richard Beckwith. Eleven children. 6. *Sylvester*, b. Feb. 7, 1798; d. Aug. 28, 1847; m. May 28, 1827, Judith H., b. Mch. 2, 1803, d. June 29, 1877, dau. of Peter and Deborah Stow, of Newport, N. H. They resided in Evans Mills, Denmark, and Potsdam, N. Y. Seven children. 7. *Lewis*, b. Nov. 17, 1798. 8. *Lydia*, b. Oct. 17, 1802; d. Apr. 10, 1812. 9. *Cyrus*, b. July 13, 1805; d. Apr. 8, 1812. 10. *Alfred*, b. May 3, 1807; d. Apr. 10, 1812. 11. *Lurinda*, b. Oct. 25, 1814; d. Nov. 14, 1883. 12. *Marinda*, b. Oct. 25, 1814; d. Jan. 17, 1889. 13. *Cyrus W.*, b. Sept. 16, 1817; d. May 28, 1881; m. in Potsdam, N. Y., Oct. 21, 1851, Elizabeth Mason. They resided in Potsdam. Two children. 14. *Erastus*, b. Dec. 2, 1820; d. Sept. 26, 1824.

iii. KEZIAH, b. Nov. 10, 1768; m. Jan. 27, 1793, Samuel Richardson of Alstead, N. H.

iv. ESTHER, b. May 19, 1776; d. in 1826.

50. AMOS[4] PARTRIDGE (*Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Franklin, July 25, 1742. He married, June 17, 1765, Meletiah, born Jan. 31, 1746, in Wrentham, daughter of Joseph and Meletiah (Metcalf) Ellis. He was a lieutenant in the Revolutionary army. He settled in Westford, Vt., after 1788, where he died Aug., 1821. His widow died Mch., 1823. Six of his children were born in Franklin.

Children:

i. AMOS,[5] b. Apr. 11, 1777; resided in Westford, Vt., where he d. in 1828. Children: 1. *Addison Bliss,*[6] settled in Fremont, Ill. Two sons. 2. *Samuel*, resided in Westford, Vt. One son. 3. *Amos Dennison*, resided in Appleton, Wis. No children.

ii. PEARL, b. Jan. 1, 1779.

iii. APPOLLOS, b. Jan. 18, 1781; d. June, 1827; resided in Westford, Vt. One child: 1. *Albert,*[6] who lived in Westford, and had no children.

iv. DAVID, b. Aug. 27, 1782; d. unmarried.

v. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 21, 1784.

vi. RHODA, b. Jan. 28, 1788.

vii. SAMUEL, resided in Westford, Vt. Children: 1. *Eben,*[6] settled in Granville, O. Children. 2. *David*, settled in Granville, O. Children. 3. *Ellen C.*, m. —— Bates; resided in Westford. Perhaps Samuel[5] had other children.

51. REUBEN[4] PARTRIDGE (*Samuel,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Franklin, Apr. 14, 1744. He married there, Apr. 7, 1768, Mary Hill. They removed to Keene, N. H., before 1780, and later to Braintree, Vt., where they thereafter resided. They had eight children.

Children:

i. LEWIS,[5] b. Dec. 15, 1768; d. in infancy.

ii. LEWIS, b. Sept. 7, 1771.

iii. LUCINA, b. July 21, 1773.

iv. LUCRETIA, b. in 1776; d. Aug. 23, 1827; m. Jan. 23, 1793, Ebenezer White of Braintree, Vt., where they resided.

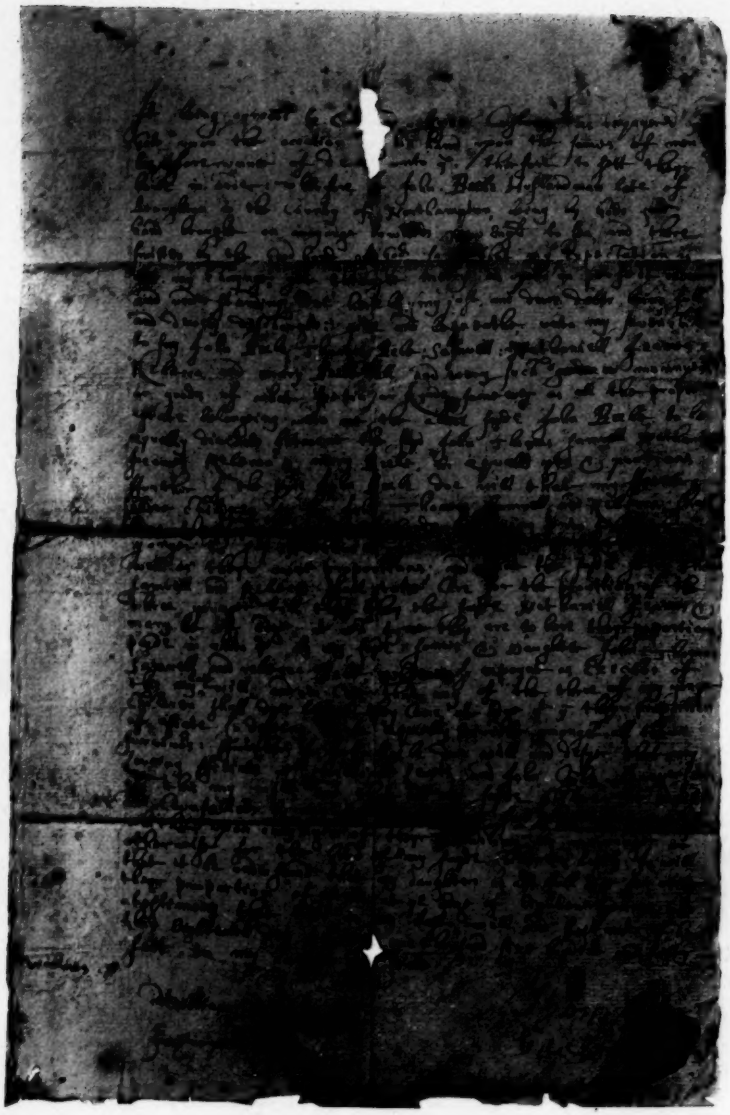
v. DAVID, b. Aug. 15, 1780, in Keene, N. H.; m. May 7, 1806, Polly Riford of Braintree, Vt., where they resided. He d. Jan. 21, 1865. Children: 1. *Sylvander,*[6] b. Mch. 14, 1807; m. May 20, 1836, Amanda P. Wilcox. One child. 2. *Elmira*, b. Aug. 20, 1808; d. Sept. 10, 1809. 3. *Polly*, b. June 23, 1810; d. Nov. 26, 1881; unmarried. 4. *Vernon David Barron*, b. Apr. 3, 1812; m, Jan. 11, 1843, Lavina R. Platt. 5. *Lucina*, b. May 2, 1814; m. Jan. 24, 1839, Lewis S. Howard. 6. *Louise Elmira*, b. Dec. 2, 1816; m. Aug. 27, 1840, Jeptha Howard, Jr. 7. *Rachel Melinda*, b. Nov. 27, 1818; m. Dec., 1842, Winthrop Sargent. 9. *Joseph*, b. June 23, 1826; d. July 14, 1874; m. Jan. 1, 1854, Lucinda E. Howard.

vi. SAMUEL, b. Jan., 1791; d. July 1, 1859; resided in Braintree, Vt.; m. Mary Bass. Children: 1. *Mary Ann,*[6] b. Oct. 20, 1821; m. Elisha Mann, Jr. 2. *Edward Martin*, b. June 11, 1824; resided in Pomfret, Vt. 3. *Edwin Orlando*, m. Mary Whitney; went to St. Paul, Minn. 4. *Emmeline*, m. Augustus Harlow.

52. JOSHUA[4] PARTRIDGE (*Joshua,*[3] *Samuel,*[2] *John*[1]) was born in Medway, April 20, 1745. He married, Sept. 24, 1767, Hannah, born Sept. 18, 1744, daughter of John and Hannah (Plimpton) Cutler of Medfield. She died June 19, 1806, in Medway, where they resided. He died Aug. 15, 1802. He was sergeant in Captain Lovell's Co., Fourth Mass. Regiment, in service from Apr. 19, 1775, to Dec. 8, 1776.

Children:

i. JOSEPH,[5] b. Apr. 26, 1768; d. Oct. 26, 1821; m. Chloe Puffer. Children.



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ii. PRISCILLA, b. June 14, 1774; d. Aug. 12, 1774.
iii. DAVID, b. Sept. 20, 1775; d. Apr. 30, 1859; m. Nov. 29, 1804, Miriam, dau. of Samuel Partridge (53). They resided in Brimfield, Mass. Children: 1. *Allen*,[6] b. Jan. 16, 1806; d. Mch. 8, 1872; m. Dec. 11, 1828, Peggy A. Daniels, b. in Holliston, July 27, 1807, d. June 11, 1887. They resided in Milford, Mass., Harwinton, Conn., and Medway, Mass. Six children. 2. *Mary Ann*, b. Mch. 26, 1808; d. Dec. 27, 1878; m. Apr. 8, 1827, Charles Abbe, b. Feb. 12, 1800, d. July 7, 1877. They resided in Franklin, Mass. Three children. 3. *Warren*, b. at Munson, Mass., Mch. 2, 1810; d. in Boston, Apr. 30, 1871; m. (1) in Sharon, Nov. 20, 1836, Elizabeth, dau. of Jesse and Abigail (Capen) Billings; m. (2) Oct. 26, 1848, Mary Fales Capen, b. Nov. 23, 1815, d. Apr. 14, 1858. They resided in Boston. Four children by first wife.
iv. HANNAH, b. Oct. 3, 1780; d. Sept. 1, 1810, unmarried.
v. SABRA, b. Aug. 5, 1783; d. Nov. 29, 1793.

53. SAMUEL[4] PARTRIDGE (*Joshua*,[3] *Samuel*,[2] *John*[1]) was born in Medway, Dec. 26, 1752. He married Mehetable, born Mch. 20, 1753, died Jan. 15, 1829, daughter of Elisha and Rebecca (Pratt) Allen. He resided in Medway on the homestead of his father, which, upon his death, he bequeathed to his daughter Mehetabel Daniels. He died Feb. 17, 1842. Some excellent portraits in oil of Samuel and Mehetable Partridge are now in the possession of Mr. William R. Mann of Sharon.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH,[5] b. Apr. 8, 1776; d. Oct. 12, 1861; m. (1) Oct. 15, 1795, Simon Hill; m. (2) Jeremiah Pratt. Four children by first husband; one by second husband.
ii. MATILDA, b. Mch. 9, 1778; d. Nov. 17, 1856; m. (1) Feb. 9, 1797, Oliver Richardson; m. (2) in 1807, Ariah Wheeler. Two children by first husband; one by second husband.
iii. RHODA, b. Dec. 27, 1780; d. Feb. 19, 1869; m. Apr. 19, 1797, Elihu, b. Nov. 29, 1775, d. Mch. 5, 1850, son of Simon and Dinah (Pond) Fisher. Four children.
iv. VESTA, b. Sept. 22, 1782; d. unmarried, in 1800.
v. MIRIAM, b. Aug. 23, 1785; d. Oct. 16, 1842; m. David, son of Joshua Partridge (52).
vi. MEHETABEL, b. Dec. 20, 1788; d. Nov. 7, 1880; m. Mch. 24, 1808, Joseph Daniels. Two sons.
vii. CLARISSA, b. May 17, 1791; d. May 3, 1871; m. Apr. 9, 1818, Fisher Hill. One daughter.

Since this article was compiled, an interesting discovery bearing on the time of departure from England of John and William Partridge (see *ante*, page 50) has been communicated to the author through the courtesy of Mr. L. Bertrand Smith of New York. In Vol. II. of the State Records of Connecticut, on file at the State House in Hartford, may be seen the original will of John Beebe, made on ship-board while on his way to New England. The will, reproduced herewith, bears the date May 18, 1650, and is witnessed by William and John Partridge, whose signatures, it is readily seen by comparing, are identical with those of William and John Partridge of Medfield (see Tilden's Hist. of Medfield, p. 38, and Dedham Records, Town and Selectmen, vol. 3, p. 225).

The name of the ship is not mentioned, nor is it known from what port in England it sailed, or where the passengers landed in America.

The testatator describes himself as "John Beebe, Husbandman, late of Broughton in the County of Northampton."

RECORDS OF THE SECOND CHURCH OF SCITUATE, NOW THE FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH OF NORWELL, MASS.

Communicated by WILFORD JACOB LITCHFIELD, M.S., of Southbridge, Mass.

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1712.

1 Joseph Stockbridge of Duxborough
2 Philip Turner, June 1st
3 Elizabeth Turner wife of Philip Turner, July 6th
4 Sarah Pinchion Wife of Thomas Pinchion July 6th
5 Joanna Wing wife of Bachelor Wing September 7th 1712
6 Eunice James wife of John James September 7th

1713.

1 Mercy Oldum Wife of Thomas Oldum June 7th
2 Ann Stetson Wife of Gershom Stetson August 2d

1714.

1 Sarah Stockbridge Wife of Thomas Stockbridge, March 7th
2 Lazarus Turner Apprentice to Thomas Stockbridge March 7th
3 Hannah Magoone Wife of John Magoone May 2d
4 Samuel Curtice junr & } May 2d
5 Anna Curtice his wife } 1714
6 Samuel Tilden of Marshfield June 13
7 Miriam Curtice, August 1st
8 Hannah Brooks wife of Thomas Brooks October 3d
9 Deborah Bryant Wife of John Bryant December 5th
10 Mary Cushing Wife of James Cushing December 5th

1715

1 Mercy Palmer, Wife of Elnathan Palmer, July 10th
Mehithabel oldom,* wife of Joshua Oldum, being a member of ye chh of Christ in Barnstable, and Coming to Live in this town desired to partake with this chh, July 10th 1715. Her dismission from ye chh was read Nov. 1st 1724.
2 Stephen Tilden of Marshfield. August 7th
3 Abigail Bryant wife of Samll Bryant August 7th
4 Frances Eells Daughter of John and Frances Eells August: 7th
5 Anna Turner widow of Amasa Turner Sept 4th 1715
6 Mary Silvester wife of Benjm Silvester november 7th
7 Martha Bryant. Novembr 6th 1715
8 Hatherly Foster. December 4th 1715

1716

1 Elizabeth Tolman Wife of Benjm Tolman July 1st 1716.
2 Hannah Turner Widow of Japhet Turner. August 5th 1716

* This entry is crossed out in the book. (See later entry in 1724.)

3 Martha Bisby daughter of John Bisby of marshfield. August 5th 1716.
4 George King & his wife } Oct: 7th
5 Deborah King ——— } 1716
6 Edward Prouty Nov 4th 1716.

Anno 1717

1 Nathanael Brooks aged 71 years Jany 6th 1716/17
2 Mary Bryant, wife of Thomas Bryant Aprill 7th 1717

[This last entry is on page 7 of the church book, and is followed by the words: "Carried to fol: 37." The following is therefore continued from the entries on page 37.]

A further List of the names of those yt and admitted into full Comunion with ye Second Chh of Christ in Scittuate. brought from fol: 7th

1717 *Anno* 1717

3 Rebeccah King Wife of John King June 2d 1717
4 Nehemiah Hobart of Hingham was admitted into full Comunion* July 14th 1717
5 John Jacob of Hingham August the 4th 1717
6 Abigail Neal Wife of Joseph Neal october 13. 1717

1718 *Anno* 1718

1 Elizabeth Brooks wife of Gilbert Brooks
2 Elizabeth Brooks Daughter of Nathanll Brooks
3 Jemimah Torry Daughter of Josiah Torry
} March 2d 1717/18
4 Joseph Nash August. 3d 1718

1719 1719 *Anno.*

1 Ebenezar Goreham. May 3d 1719

1720 *Anno* 1720

1 Lydia Tilden daughter of Samll: Tilden of Marshfield was recievd to Comunion at the Lords Supper January 3d 1719/20.
2 Hannah Lincoln Wife of Solomon Lincoln March 6th 1719/20.
3 Zechariah Dammon. & his wife
4 Mehithabel Dammon.
5 James Briggs
6 Ruth Silvester wife of Benjm Silr junr
7 Mary Brooks wife of Nat: Brooks
8 Sarah Whetstone widow
} were admitted to comunion August 7th 1720.
9 Hannah Nash, the Wife of Joseph Nash . . . . in this Chh Sept 4th 1720
10 Thomas Toby &
11 Mary Toby his wife,
12 Thomas Merit &
13 Abigail his wife,
14 Mary Palmer wife of John Palmer, &
15 Hannah Briggs wife of James Briggs
} were admitted to Comunion at the Lords Table, October 2d 1720.
16 John James . . . . wth this Chh: Dec: 4th 1720

* The words "admitted into full Comunion" in subsequent entries will be omitted unless required by the context.

Anno. 1721

1 Daniel Dammon . . . . wth the Chh at the Lords Supper. February 5th 1720/21.
2 Ursellah Randal wife of Job Randal jun^{r} . . . . with the Chh June 4th 1721.
3 Job Randal, & his wife
4 Mary Randal . . . . June 11th 1721

Anno 1722

1 Elijah Cushing . . . . wth the Chh at the Lords Supper. Aprill 1st 1722
2 Samuel Hatch jun^{r} . . . . wth the Chh at ye Lords Supper Aug: 1st 1722
3 Isaac Perry
4 Eliz: Hatch wife of Sam^{ll} Hatch jun^{r}
5 Lydia Stoddard daughter of J: Stoddard
6 Mary Pando, maid Servt to J: Cushing.
} . . . . wth the Chh Sep^{t}: 2^{d} 1722
7 Timothy Symms &
8 Elizabeth his wife } oct: 7. 1722
9 Sarah House Widow of Sam^{ll} House . . . . wth this Chh December 2^{d}. 1722

Anno 1723

1 Benjamin Perry &
2 Ruth Perry his wife } February 3^{d} 1722/3
3 Isaac Tailor; and
4 Ruth Tailor his wife . . . . March 10th 1722/3.
5 Ruth Turner wife of Caleb Turner . . . . at ye Lords Supper May 5th 1723.
6 Ruth Stetson Wife of Elijah Stetson, ... at the Lords Table. June 2^{d} 1723

Anno. 1724

1 Elizabeth Cushing wife of John Cushing jun^{r} January. 5th 1723/4.
2 Naomi Chamberlain alias morris Feb: 9th 1723/4
3 Samuel Holbroke, of ye North precinct March 1st:
4 Deborah Brigs wife of Joseph Briggs Senr: April: 5th 1724
5 Abigail Hobart and
6 Desire Hatch } . . . . April: 5. 1724.
7 Deborah Otis wife of Isaac Otis, ... at the Lords Supper May 3^{d} 1724
8 Desire Silvester wife of Richard Silvester . . . . to the Lords table June 7th 1724.
9 Isaac Buck July 5th 1724.
10 Barshua Torry wife of Saml Torry August 2^{d} 1724.
11 Abigail Brooks wife of Gilbert Brooks August 30th 1724
12 Mehitabel Oldum* Wife of Joshua Oldum being a member of the Chh of Christ in Barnstable had her dismission from y^{t} Chh to this, read in the audience of the Chh: November 1st 1724

* See entry in 1715.

1725

1 Isaack Jones &
2 Hannah Jones his wife &
3 Joanna Rugles wife of John Rugles
} . . . . in this Chh May 2d 1725

4 Hannah Barker wife of Barnabas Barker . . . . at the Lords table June 6th 1725
5 Jeremiah Hatch . . . . at the Lords table August 1st 1725
6 Anthony Sisco &
7 Pheby his wife
} Negro's . . . . Dec: 17, 1725

1726

1 Thomas Joslyn June 5th 1726.
2 Fear Turner Nathan Turners widow &
3 Allice Pickles daughter of Nathan Pickles September 4th 1726
4 Sarah lambet wife of James lambet [?Lambert] oct: 9th 1726

Anno 1727

1 Elizabeth Cushing wife of Elijah Cushing of Abington Jan: 1st 1726/7
2 Lydia James wife of John James April 2d 1727
3 Samuel Lappam Sept 3d 1727
4 Samuel Torry oct: 1st 1727
5 Lydia Clift of Marshfield: Octobr 1st 1727
6 Thomas Lambert aged 67.
——— & his wife
7 Joanna Lambert aged 63. Nov 5th 1727
8 Elizabeth Turner wife of Joseph Turner Dec: 3d 1727.

Anno. 1728

1 Thomas Clark &
2 Allice his wife
} Jan: 7th 1727/8
3 Joseph Torry. & Deborah
4 his wife, Jan: 7. 1727/8.
5 Joshua Turner
6 Joseph Jacob &
7 Penelipa Hatch
} Jan: 7th 1727/8.
8 Desire Tildin wife of Saml Tildin junr of Marshfield . . . . in this Chh March 3d 1727/8.
9 Mercy Turner wife of Benj'm Turner junr March 3d 1727/8
10 Anna Stetson wife of Anthony Stetson March 31st 1728.
11 Rebecca Curtice wife of Benjamin Curtice March 31st 1728
12 Abigail Turner wife of William Turner March 31. 1728.
13 Grace Hatch wife of John Hatch June 2d 1728.
14 Thomas orcut of Hingham
15 Elizabeth Silvester of Hanover
16 Martha Man of Hanover
17 Jemima Damon Danl D: wife
18 Deborah Stetson Sergt S: S: daughter
19 Silence Dammon a single woman
} . . . . with this Chh. August 4th 1728

20 Thankfull Blossom wife of John Blossom October 6th 1728
21 Lydia Turner Widow of Jonathan Turner October 13th 1728
22 Amy Dwelle widow Oct: 13. 1828.
23 Lydia Simmons wife of Ebenezer Simmons Nov 10th 1728.

Anno 1729

1 Jonah Stetson Feb. 2d 1728/9
2 Elizabeth Butler wife of Israel Butler Feb: 2d 1728/9
3 Mercy Stetson wife of Jonah Stetson April 6th 1729
4 Ruth Perry wife of Amos Perry April 6th 1729
5 Joseph Benson his dismission from the Chh of Christ in Hull to this Chh was read and accepted by a full vote April 4th 1729
6 Benjamin King July 6th 1729, in the 20th year of his age.
7 David Foster August 3d 1729.
8 John Ruggles's dismission from the new north Chh in Boston, was read and accepted by a full vote, oct. 5th 1729.
9 Israel Butler's dismission from the Chh in Tisbury was read to this Chh, and accepted by a full vote oct: 5th 1729 } dismissed to the westerly Chh in Barnstable June twenty fourth 1740. [Later entry]
10 Elizabeth oakman wife of Saml oakman of Marshfield December 7th 1729
11 Rebecca Sprague a Single woman Dec: 7th 1729.

Anno 1730.

1 David Bryant & } March 1st 1729/30
2 Hannah his wife
3 William Barrel & } March 1st 1729/30.
4 Abigail his wife
5 Ephraim Otis: & } March 1st 1729/30.
6 Joseph Cushing, junr
7 Margret Turner May 10th 1730
8 Robert Woodart (upward of 70 years) June 7th 1730.
9 Rachel Stetson daughter of Sergt Saml Stetson Aug: 2d 1730.
10 Nathan Pickles jun &
11 Richard Turner Sept 13th 1730
12 Jane Jones wife of Ebenezer Jones of marshfield &.
13 Rebecka Lappam wife of David Lappam of marshfield, &
14 Sarah Tilden daughter of Saml Tilden of Marshfield Sept 13th 1730
15 Benjm Randal, & } Nov: 1st 1730
16 Sarah [h]is wife
17 Elizabeth Hatch wife of Israel Hatch Nov: 1st 1730
18 Margret Stetson & } daughters of
19 Leah Stetson —— } Benjm Stetson Dec: 6th 1730

Anno 1731.

1 Margret Merit wife of Henry Merit January 10th 1730/31.
2 Abigail Foster wife of Joseph Foster March 7th 1730/31
3 Margret Foster daughter of Hatherly Foster April 4th 1731.
4 Lusanna Turner the wife of Hawkins Turner gave to this chh a Letter of recomendation from the chh of christ in Groton in Connecticut wch was accepted by the chh. April 4th 1731

5 Anna Palmer wife of Bazaliel Palmer was baptized & received into full Comunion with this chh. July 25th 1731.
6 Judith Dwelle wife of John Dwelle Aug: 1st 1731.
7 Elizabeth Bryant daughter of David Bryant Sept 5th 1731.
8 Joseph Dunham &
9 Jane Dunham his wife } Oct: 30th 1731

Anno 1732

1 Doctor Isaac Otis Jan: 2d 1731/2
2 John James junr and
3 Lydia Silvester wife of Joseph } March 12th 1731/2
4 William Clift &
5 Judith Clift his wife &
6 John Spooner all of Marshfield } April 2d 1732.
7 Mary Benson wife of Joseph Benson May 14th 1732
8 Nathan Pickels—and
9 Timothy Symms junr } July 2d 1732
10 Mary Neal, wife of John Neal son of Joseph Neal Sept: 3d 1732
11 Benjm Tolman—and
12 Saml Eells &
13 Hannah Eells his wife and
14 Eliz: Dwelle wife of Jedediah Dwelle } Nov: 5th 1732.

Anno 1733

1 Edward Eells Feb. 4th 1732–3.
2 Hannah Barrel daughter of William May 6th 1733.
3 Perciss Stockbridge daughter of Saml Stockbridge June 3d 1733
4 Hannah Bowker wife of James, August 5th 1733.
5 Martin, An Indian man Servant to Mr Hatherly Foster Sept 2d 1733
6 Mary Bowker, aged near 70 years widow Oct: 7th 1733

1734

1 Joseph Clap, and his wife
2 Hannah Clap Feb: 3d 1733/4.
June 9th 1734 after Sacrament the Chh by a manual vote Exprest their willingness that
3 James Chushing;
4 Samuel Stockbridge &
5 Lydia Stockbridge his wife Should be looked upon by all the fraternity as under the watch of this Chh, & Enjoy the priviledge of it as they have done for some years past. Notwithstanding yy have not brought either Letters of dismission or recommendation from the chh into wch they were at first admitted: viz: the 1st chh in Scittuate
6 Rachel Otis wife of Ephraim July 7th 1734.
7 Jurusha Church wife of Nathl Chh junr August 4th 1734
8 Robert Stetson junr Sept 15th 1734
9 Eunice Prouty Sept 15th 1734.
10 Rachel Smith wife of Joseph Smith of Hanover Nov 3d 1734
11 Patience Lamb wife of James Lamb, Judux [?] Nov: 3d 1734.

[To be continued.]

THOMAS BURGIS OF GUILFORD, CONN., AND HIS DESCENDANTS.

Compiled by Hon. RALPH D. SMYTH, and communicated by Dr. BERNARD C. STEINER.

1. THOMAS[1] BURGIS, Senior, shoemaker and tanner, died in Guilford, Oct. 23, 1736, leaving an estate inventoried at £722. 7. 0. In 1716 his list was only £61. 5. 6, his trade or faculty being rated at £5. He was a native of Yorkshire, England. A well authenticated family tradition states that he was pressed on board a British man-of-war, where he was detained several years. Afterwards, while the vessel was cruising in the neighborhood of New York, he escaped with one or two others, and fled into the country. It was said he was retaken near Newtown, Conn., and received a grievous sabre cut upon his face, which left a scar ever after. Subsequently, he escaped again, somewhere in the neighborhood of Boston, and coming along the shore, he stopped at Guilford, where he married, June 19, 1707, Mercy, daughter of Thomas Wright, and there resided the rest of his life. His home lot of two and a quarter acres was part of his father-in-law's property, having been inherited by his wife. On Feb. 18, 1729–30, he bought more of the land formerly Thomas Wright's. Mrs. Burgis died June 26, 1747.

Children:

2. i. THOMAS,[2] b. May 9, 1709; d. Mch. 28, 1796.
   ii. JESSE, b. Apr. 23, 1712; d. young.
3. iii. JOHN, b. Aug. 31, 1714; d. Mch. 26, 1799.
   iv. PHYLLIS, b. Mch. 16, 1716; d. Oct. 12, 1760; m. (1) Nathaniel Johnson of Guilford, who d. Jan., 1746; m. (2) Sept. 8, 1748, Samuel Chittenden, who d. Oct. 10, 1788.
   v. MERCY, b. Sept. 26, 1719; d. Feb. 27, 1801; m. Mch. 15, 1749, Abraham Chittenden of Guilford, who d. July 19, 1810.
   vi. ELIAB, b. Oct. 31, 1722; d. probably before his father.
   vii. ABIGAIL, b. in 1728; d. in 1802; m. Dec. 15, 1742, Enos Bishop of Guilford, who d. Apr. 2, 1802.

2. THOMAS[2] BURGIS, JR. (*Thomas*[1]), of Guilford, married, May 18, 1737, Hannah, daughter of Samuel Dodd. She died July 26, 1795.

Children:

4. i. THOMAS,[3] b. Feb. 24, 1738; d. June 14, 1799.
   ii. HANNAH, b. Dec. 5, 1739; d. Oct. 22, 1816; m. Apr., 1767, Dea. William Starr of Guilford, who d. Nov. 30, 1816.
   iii. LUCY, b. Oct. 13, 1742; m. Jonathan Kirby of Middletown, who d. Mch. 15, 1782.
   iv. MARY, b. Dec. 7, 1744; d. Aug. 7, 1801; m. Apr. 18, 1765, John Griswold of Guilford, who d. May 16, 1777.
   v. SAMUEL, b. Dec. 26, 1746; d. July 20, 1747.

3. JOHN[2] BURGIS (*Thomas*[1]) was a man of great prominence in Guilford, frequently serving in the General Assembly, and acting as deacon in the First Church. He married, Jan. 14, 1742, Sarah, daughter of Samuel Dodd. She was born Apr. 24, 1714, and died Jan. 14, 1787. They had no children.

4. THOMAS[3] BURGIS (*Thomas,*[2] *Thomas*[1]), of Guilford, served the town as Town Clerk for many years, and, like his uncle, was deacon in the First Church. He graduated at Yale College, in 1758, and for a number of years taught the Guilford grammar school. His estate amounted to £1,390. He married, Aug. 9, 1769, Olive, youngest child of Oliver and Elizabeth (Kilborn) Dudley of North Guilford, who died Aug. 13, 1813, aged 64.

Children:

5. i. THOMAS,[4] b. Oct. 6, 1770; d. Mch. 25, 1861.
6. ii. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 17, 1774; d. Apr. 18, 1854.
iii. OLIVE, b. Sept. 14, 1776; d. Feb. 6, 1867: m. Aug. 13, 1800, Ozias Whedon of Guilford, who committed suicide, Jan. 30, 1806.
iv. ELIAB, b. May 13, 1779; d. single, at Staten Island, May 1, 1808. He was a sea captain.
v. HANNAH, b. May 9, 1783; d. single, Aug. 3, 1856.
vi. ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 2, 1787; d. single, May 29, 1844.
vii. HARRIET, b. Sept. 2, 1790; d. Oct. 12, 1791.

5. THOMAS[4] BURGIS (*Thomas,*[3] *Thomas,*[2] *Thomas*[1]), of Guilford, was warden in Christ Protestant Episcopal Church. He married, Feb. 14, 1793, Sarah Deshon of New London. She was born Feb. 29, 1772, and died Jan. 25, 1852.

Children:

i. RUTH,[5] b. Nov. 17, 1794; m. May 27, 1819, Noah Fowler of Guilford, who d. June 10, 1850. They had no children.
ii. SARAH, b. Dec. 2, 1796; m. Oct. 14, 1818, Samuel L. Hubbard of Clinton, N. Y.
iii. HARRIET, b. Jan. 11, 1800; d. single.
iv. GEORGE THOMAS, b. Feb. 6, 1803; imbecile; d. Nov. 17, 1816.
v. LYDIA MARIA, b. July 3, 1807; d. Jan. 16, 1808.
vi. ELIAB THOMAS, b. Apr. 10, 1809; removed to Bangor, Maine; m. Ruhama Gould. Their ch. were: 1. *Mary Ann,*[6] b. Nov., 1837. 2. *Sarah Deshon.* 3. *Noah Fowler,* b. in 1842.
vii. MARY ANN THOMAS, b. Jan. 11, 1817; d. Sept. 11, 1848; m. Feb. 3, 1841, John B. Kirby.

6. CAPT. SAMUEL[4] BURGIS (*Thomas,*[3] *Thomas,*[2] *Thomas,*[1]), of Guilford, married first, Nov. 15, 1787, Sarah Chalker, who died May 4, 1822; and married second, Dec. 1, 1834, Esther, widow of Phineas Auger of Westfield and Middletown, who died April 25, 1872.

Children by first wife:

i. COL. JOHN,[5] b. Sept. 29, 1798; d. Nov. 6, 1864; lived in Guilford; m. Nov. 5, 1820, Thankful, dau. of Solomon Stone, Jr., who was b. June 28, 1803, and d. Aug. 25, 1883. Their children were: 1. *Elizabeth,*[6] b. Aug. 25, 1821; d. Feb. 19, 1864; m. Apr. 10, 1843, Eli Kimberly, Jr. 2. *Fanny,* b. Dec. 4, 1823; d. in 1882. 3. *Sarah Ann,* b. May 27, 1826; d. Sept. 8, 1869. 4. *Lydia Augusta,* b. Feb. 13, 1828; d. Dec. 28, 1833. 5. *Jennette Amelia,* b. Aug. 21, 1830; d. Aug. 20, 1832. 6. *John Randolph,* b. Feb. 4. 1833; m. Nov. 3, 1858, Emma A. Cruttenden; was a private in 2d and 9th Conn. Volunteer Infantry, and d. Sept. 14, 1862, in hospital at New Orleans; no children. 7. *William Henry,* b. Mch. 9, 1836; served in 16th Conn. Volunteer Infantry. 8. *Mary Cornelia,* b. May 7, 1838; d. Aug. 6, 1840. 9. *Jennette Augusta,* b. Apr., 1841; d. Jan. 23, 1844. 10. *Samuel Dodd,* b. Oct., 1843; d. Feb. 3, 1844. 11. *Thomas Chalker,* b. Sept. 4, 1848.
ii. CORNELIA, b. Nov. 6, 1807; d. Nov. 28, 1834; m. Mch. 12, 1834, Willard Keyes of Quincy, Ill.
iii. MARY, b. Feb. 15, 1813; d. July 4, 1836.

COLONEL WILLIAM CROWNE, AND HIS FAMILY.

By William H. Davis, M.D., of Boston.

1. Col. William[1] Crowne,* the emigrant ancestor of the family in America, was born about 1617.† In April 1636, "William Crowne Gent" accompanied Thomas Howard, Earl of Arundel, Ambassador Extraordinary, on a political mission to the emperor Ferdinand II. at Vienna. The embassy returned to England in December, 1636, and in 1637, William Crowne published a small book about the "Remarkable places and Passages" observed on the journey.

In 1638, the Earl of Arundel, who was then Earl Marshal of England, appointed William Crowne Rouge-Dragon. His letters patent were dated Sept. 14, 1638, and the creation took place at the Red Lion Inn, Richmond, Sept. 24th following, at which time William Dugdale, later known as Sir William Dugdale, the antiquary, was created Blanch-Lion. An interesting account of the ceremony is found in Chancellor's Historical Richmond.

About this time, certainly between 1635 and 1640, William Crowne, Gent, married Agnes (Mackworth) Watts, widow of Richard Watts, of London, and sister of Humphrey Mackworth of Betton Grange, Co. Salop, who was afterwards a colonel in Cromwell's army and Governor of Shrewsbury. Richard Watts, who died in 1635, was the son of Sir John Watts, of Hertfordshire, Knt. The ancestry of Agnes Mackworth can be traced in Blore's History of Rutland, Lipscomb's History of Buckingham, and Burke's Peerage.

The Calendar of State Papers, Domestic Series, shows that as early as 1644 William Crowne was in the employ of the Committee of Parliament, for on July 16th of that year the committee sent out four letters by him.

In 1647 he was one of seven members of the College of Arms to attend the funeral of that noted Parliamentary leader, the Earl of Essex.

Jan. 21, 1648, Lieut-Col. William Crowne was in the service of Parliament, discovering delinquents and their estates in the counties of Stafford and Salop.

Dec. 19, 1649, he was acting as Humphrey Mackworth's secretary.

Mar. 2, 1650, Col. H. Mackworth requested that "my brother Crowne may be entrusted as one of the Commissioners for Co. Salop, where he lives."

Apr. 2, 1650, the Council of State granted to Wm Crowne a militia commission of Capt. of Foot in the County of Salop.

Aug. 19, 1650, the Council of State granted him a militia commission as Lieut.-Col. of Foot under Humphrey Mackworth.

July 9, 1651, Pres. John Bradshaw, in a letter to his cousin Peter Brereton, says, "I understand by Col. Crowne who is brother-in-law to Col. Mackworth Governor of Shrewsbury and one of the comissioners for Co. Salop that Mr Browne his fellow Commissioner is lately dead," etc.

March 14, 1653–4, Crowne ceased to be County Commissioner, the office having been abolished by act of Parliament.

* See Register, *ante*, Vol. 6, page 46.
† *Ibid*, Vol. 6, page 249.

Briefs of letters which passed between the Protector Cromwell and Col. William Crowne are given in full in the Calendar of State Papers.

Aug. 9, 1656, Lord De La Tour, Thomas Temple and Col. William Crowne received from Cromwell a grant of Nova Scotia, and Lord De La Tour deeded his interest to Temple and Crowne, Sept 20, 1656.

At this time, Thomas Temple and William Crowne were still in England, as shown by records.

In 1657, Thomas Temple came to America, and William Crowne undoubtedly came the same year, for the last mention of him in the Calendar of State Papers is April 28, 1657: "The petition of Wm Crowne, late receiver of Revenue in co. Salop, referred to the Treasury Commissioners"; and in the Suffolk co. (Mass.) Deeds, Lib. iii., 108, is an agreement, dated Sept. 12, 1657, in which he is spoken of as "William Crowne Late of the Parish of Martins in the field in the Countie of Middlesexe, Esqr." This was an agreement between Temple and Crowne to divide Nova Scotia, Temple taking the eastern part and Crowne the western, including the Fort at Penobscot.

These articles of agreement, though dated Sept. 12, 1657, were not signed till Feb. 15, following, when Gov. Endicott and John Crowne were witnesses.

Crowne took possesion of his part of Nova Scotia, and built a house on the Penobscot river, at a place called "Negu" or "Negew alias Cadascat." He did not dwell there long, however, for Nov. 1, 1658, he leased the whole territory to Capt. George Corwin and Ens. Joshua Scottoe, and a year later to Col. Thomas Temple for four years—the consideration in each case being £110 a year. The rent from Col. Temple was secured by a bond for £440.

At this time, Col. Crowne was evidently dwelling in Boston, for he witnessed deeds there in 1659, and was made freeman May 30, 1660.

When Whalley and Goffe arrived, July 12, 1660, and were visited by the principal men of the town, Col. Crowne is mentioned as one of them, but Hutchinson made a mistake in calling him a "noted Royalist," for, as we have seen, he held office continually under Parliament; and Mark Noble, in referring to the reorganization of the College of Arms, under Charles II., says that William Crowne was permitted to retain his office of Rouge-Dragon, though he had been a very obnoxious man "by favoring and supporting every faction which had opposed the royal interest."

Soon after this he returned to London, where he officiated as Rouge-Dragon at the coronation of King Charles II., April 23, 1661, but May 25, 1661, he had resigned his position.

He was still in London as late as Dec. 14, 1661, having delayed his return to New England in order to plead the cause of the colonists before the Council and Lord Chamberlain; but he set sail soon after, and Oct. 8, 1662, as a reward for his services while in London, was granted five hundred acres by the General Court of the Massachusetts Bay Colony. This land was laid out for him in Mendon, in 1663.

Oct. 29, 1665, he was probably living in Boston or Roxbury, for in a suit against Job Tyler of Roxbury, which was finally referred to a committee to decide, Tyler chose William Crowne for his man.

June 7, 1667, at Mendon's first town meeting, Col. Crowne was chosen town clerk and selectman, in which offices he served many years.

Sept. 8, 1667, William Crowne, aged about 50 years, testified about certain cattle.

May 27, 1669, in answer to a petition from the Mendon inhabitants, who were 25 miles from any magistrate, requesting that "our honest friend Col. Crowne may be impowered," etc., the General Court reported to "impower him to solemnize marriage in that towne of Mendon, so as the parties be residing in that towne."

Before May 7, 1673, Crowne had ceased to be a constant resident of Mendon, for on that day Mr. Ralph Wheelock, of Medfield, was appointed by the General Court to solemnize marriage in those towns, "there being no magistrate neare Medfield & Mendon"; but as late as Nov. 25, 1674, he still gave his residence as Mendon.

During King Philip's war he was at Prudence Island, near Newport, R. I.

In the winter of 1678 and '79 he was visiting his son Henry, at New Castle, N. H.

Aug. 15, 1679, he was residing in Boston, and undoubtedly remained there the last few years of his life.

July 10, 1682, he petitioned the General Court for assistance, stating that "God having laid his hand heavy on me this 7 or 8 months hath brought me so low y^t I am scarce able to stir out of my bed." In answer to this petition the General Court three days later lent him £5, and on Oct. 11 gave him £15.

This illness was probably his last, for Dec. 24 of the same year he made his will (Suffolk Co. Probate, vi., 401), which is as follows:

William Crowne Esqr. being very weake in body but of sound minde and memory and lookeing for my change every day to bee received to glory wch God hath given me some good comfort of. Thinking fitting to Set down how I would have my Estate disposed of when I am dead: As concerning w^t his Maj^tie hath pleased to promise to give me concerning the delivering of my right up to the French in Nova Scotia, my son John being prosecuting of it of the King, whatsoever his Maj^tie doth bestow on me, I give him the one halfe; as also the bond of Four hundred and Forty pounds the halfe of that. And for my Son Henry I leave to him the money that is oweing me from William Allen of Prudence Island by order of the Town Councell of Porthmouth; and also the moiety of w^t the Towne of Mendham owes me wch is neer forty pounds, and also the Moity of w^t five hundred Acres of land shallbee Sould for lying neer Sudbury. And for the ten pounds wch the General Court hath ordered me shalbee to defray the charges of my buriall if I dye suddenly: and as for my Bedding with appurt thereunto I give to Sarah Covell if Shee continue with me till I dye, and for her babe Dorothy I give her ten Shillings in money as also her daughter Sara the like, all my wearing apparell I give to my Son Henry. And the Remainder of my Estate the whole being by my Son John and Henry I give to my Children my daughter Agnes haveing a double part. And this I do declare to bee my last will and Testimony revokeing all former. As for the debt I owe wch is seven pounds to that worthy man m^r Hull I desire hee may bee paid out of w^t I have oweing, the profits of my above mencon'd Land and debts, I do appoint my Son Hary to bee my Executor. Unto wch I have put my hand this twenty fourth day of December in the yeare 1682.

WILLI: CROWNE

Witness Signed, William Lane. Robt Williams

Boston: 26th Feb^ruy 1682.

William Lane personally appearing before Simon Bradstreed Esqr. Govr. and John Hull Esqr. Assist made Oath that hee saw and heard Colon^l. William Crowne Signe & publish this Instrum^t. to bee his last will and that hee was then of disposeing minde to the Depon^ts. understanding, himself and Robt Williams Subscribing as witnesses thereof.

as attests Is^a. Addington C^lre.

Know all men by these presents that I Sarah Covell do acknowledge my Selfe to have received of Henry Crowne as Executo^r unto his deceased Father Coll. Will. Crowne in full Satisfaction of what the s^d Coll Crowne by his last will

and Testam^t hath given me bearing date the twenty ffourth day of Decemb^r 1682
Witness my hand ffebru^r. the twenty fourth 1682–3.

SARAH COVELL

James Burgeis.
William Lane.

James Burgeis and
William Lane,

testified upon Oath to Sarah Covell her Signing this Instrum^t to which their names are Set as witnesses. Jurat. 26 Feb^r. 1682.

Coram, S. Bradstreet Govr.

That the Col. William Crowne who served under Cromwell, and who married the sister of Col. Humphrey Mackworth, was the same William Crown who came to America, is proved by the two signatures reproduced below:

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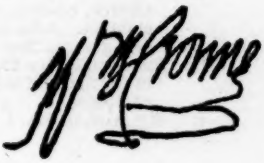
2 

No. 1 is to be found in the Record Office, Fetter Lane, London, Domestic State Papers, Interregnum 1656, Vol. 126, p. 124, in a petition to the Council for £37, which sum had been paid by William Crowne to soldiers in Cromwell's service.

No. 2 is to be found in the Mass. State Archives, Vol. iii., p. 255, in a petition to the General Court, in 1662.

Children:

2. i. JOHN,[2] b. about 1640.
3. ii. HENRY, b. about 1648.
iii. AGNES.

2. JOHN[2] CROWN (*William*[1]) was born in England, about 1640. In a deposition in 1660, he is spoken of as about 20 years of age. He came to America with his father, attended Harvard University in 1657 and 1659, and in 1660 was dwelling at the house of Rev. John Norton in Boston, when Whalley and Goffe visited that divine. He returned to England before 1665, and became a favorite at the Court of Charles II. Between 1665 and 1698, he wrote numerous tragedies and comedies, the best of which was "Sir Courtly Nice," of which Dennis says: "tis my opinion that the greatest Comick Poet that ever lived in any age might have been proud to have been the author of it."

The date of his death has usually been given as about 1703, but Musgrave's Obituary says 1712. He was certainly alive as late as 1706, for he then received £50 from Parliament, a like sum having been received at least three times before this payment, in answer to his petition asking compensation for his great loss in Nova Scotia, and setting forth his poverty and need.

Excellent accounts of his life and works may be found in Langbaine's Dramatick Poets with notes by Oldys, John Dennis's Letters and the Introduction to Crowne's Dramatic Works, 1873.

3. HENRY[2] CROWN (*William*[1]) was born in England, about 1648. He was taxed at Portsmouth, N. H., in 1672. He married, May 1, 1676, Alice, daughter of William Rogers; resided at Portsmouth and New Castle, kept a "house of public entertainment," was a notary public and attorney, and with his wife attended church at Portsmouth. He died between May and Sept., 1696. His widow Alice was of Portsmouth in 1713, and of Boston in 1719.

Children:

i. JOHN,[3] b. Nov. 10, 1679. Feb. 26, 1703–4, he witnessed a deed in Roxbury, Mass., between Samuel Williams and Joseph Warren.

ii. ELIZABETH, b. May 27, 1684; was received into the covenant and bapt. in the North Parish, Portsmouth, in 1707; was living in Boston, Mar. 28, 1717, on which date she m. Elias Constance of Boston.

iii. AGNES, b. July 19, 1686; bapt. Oct. 8, 1704, "age 18," in Brattle St. Church, Boston; m. Oct. 5, 1710, James Addison, and had several children. Adm. on estate of Agnes Addison, widow, late of Boston, granted Feb. 22, 1750, to son James.

iv. REBECCA, b. Jan. 23, 1689–90; called "adult" and bapt. Feb. 1, 1713, in Brattle St. Church, Boston; m. Dec. 15, 1725, Robert Weston of Boston.

v. WILLIAM, b. Jan. 1, 1691–2.

BAPTISMS FROM THE RECORDS OF THE FIRST CHURCH OF BARRE, MASS., 1767–1831, THE BIRTHS NOT BEING ON TOWN RECORDS.*

Communicated by FRANKLIN P. RICE, Esq., of Worcester, Mass.

1767,	Oct. 11.	Benj., son of Sam[l] Gates.
"	" "	John, son of James Hill.
"	Nov. 1.	Mercy, dau. of Abel Osgood.
1768,	Jan. 3.	James, son of Robert Mantor.
"	" 24.	Fermon, son of Benoni Shurtleff.
"	" 31.	Miriam, dau. of Barzillai Lyon.
"	Feb. 7.	Michael, son of James Hamilton.
"	Mar. 6.	Betty, dau. of Matthew Caldwell.
"	Apr. 10.	Clark, son of Sam[l] Marsh.
"	" 17.	Lucy, dau. of Jacob Patterson.
"	May 1.	Frances, dau. of John Wright.
"	" 1.	Rebeckah, dau. of John Patterson.
"	" 15.	Isaac, son of Sol. Robinson.
"	" 22.	Rebeckah, dau. of Elijah Man.
"	" 29.	Prudence, dau. of Jonas Rice.
"	June 5.	Timothy, son of Eben[r] Nigh.
"	" 18.	William, son of Wm. Gates.
"	July 10.	Benj., son of Benj. Nigh.
"	" "	Anna, dau. of Noah Mandell.
"	" 17.	Lucinda, dau. of David Barnes.
"	" 31.	Elizabeth, dau. of Wm. Wilson.

* For town records of births, marriages and deaths, see VITAL RECORDS OF BARRE, MASSACHUSETTS, TO THE END OF THE YEAR 1849. Systematic History Fund. Worcester, Mass.: Published by Franklin P. Rice, Trustee of the Fund. 1903.

1768, Aug. 14. Rufus, son of Samson Bixby.
" Sept. 4. Ephraim, son of Geo. Caldwell.
" " " Eli, son of Micah Boyden.
" Oct. 2. James, son of Sam[l] Robinson.
" " " Mary, dau. of Jeduthan Holden.
" " " Betty, dau. of Sam[l] Robinson.
" " 9. Priscilla, dau. of Eph[m] Bacon.
" " 16. Matthias, son of Dr. Matthias Stone.
" Nov. 6. Katherine, dau. of Wm. Marean.
" Dec. 11. Mary, dau. of John Wallys.
" " 25. Sylvanus, son of Moses Rice.
1769, Feb. 5. Abel, son of Abel Osgood.
" Mar. 19. Isabella, dau. of Geo. Ames.
" Apr. 2. John, son of Jed[th] Winslow.
" " " Lucy, dau. of Sam[l] Marsh.
" May 7. Lydia, dau. of Moses Smith.
" " " Lucy, dau. of Jason Whiting.
" " " Mary, dau. of Jotham Rice Jr.
" June 11. Asa, son of Elijah Robinson.
" " 18. Jona., son of Jona. Fletcher.
" Aug. 6. Samuel, son of Jeduthan Holden.
" " " Lucinda, dau. of Eph[m] Brooks.
" " " Sarah, dau. of " "
" " " Hannah, dau. of " "
" " 13. John, son of Geo. Caldwell.
" " 20. Sarah, dau. of James Hill.
" Sept. 17. Peter, son of Eser Northgate (black).
" Oct. 1. Susanna, dau. of Elijah Man.
" Nov. 5. Hannah, dau. of Jotham Rice Jr.
1770, Jan. 14. Jemima, dau. of Sherebiah Lee.
" " 14. John Carver, son of Benoni Shurtleff.
" " 28. Samuel, son of Jonathan Bullard.
" Feb. 11. Nath[l], son of Barzillai Lyon.
" " " John, son of John Bullard.
" Apr. 29. Asa, son of Jacob Patterson.
" May 20. Levi, son of Joseph Robinson.
" June 3. Danforth, son of John Patterson.
" " 31. Seth, son of Seth Perry.
" July 8. Lucy, dau. of Moses Boyden.
" " " Milletiah, dau. of Eben[r] Nigh.
" Aug. 5. Martha, dau. of Adam Henry.
" Sept. 9. Anna, dau. of Geo. Acres.
" " 16. Betty, dau. of David Patterson.
" " 23. Mary, dau. of Micah Boyden.
" " 30. Abijah, son of Noah Mandell.
" Oct. 7. Polly, dau. of Wm. Wilson.
" " 14. John Lewis, son of Robert Mantor.
1771, Feb. 24. William, son of Barnabas Mirick.
" Mar. 17. Daniel, son of Daniel Rice.
" " 31. Alpheus, son of Jona. Fletcher.
" Apr. 28. John, son of Elijah Robinson.
" " " John, son of Elijah Gregory.
" " " Joel, son of Benj. Holden.

1771,	Apr. 28.	Rosafair, dau. of Eph^{m} Brooks.
"	May 12.	Josiah, son of John Black.
"	" "	Ruth, dau. of Ichabod Robinson.
"	" 19.	Arathusa, dau. of John Bullard.
"	" 26.	Nathan, son of Elijah Man.
"	June 9.	Isabel, dau. of Nathl Jenison.
"	" 16.	John, son of Daniel Kinsman.
"	" 23.	Justin, son of Jed^{h} Winslow.
"	Aug. 11.	Molley, dau. of Samson Bixby.
"	" 25.	Benj., son of Geo. Caldwell.
"	Sept. 8.	Vice, dau. of Benoni Shurtlefs.
"	" 14.	Sarah, dau. of Daniel Darling.
"	Oct. 9.	Jesse, son of Corlis Hinds.
"	Dec. 22.	Wm., son of Benj. Gates.
"	" 29.	James, son of J. Hamilton.
1772,	Jan. 7.	Lydia, dau. of Jeduthan Holden.
"	Apr. 19.	Joseph, son of Matthew Caldwell.
"	May 24.	Sarah, dau. of Samuel Forbes.
"	June 14.	Gardner, son of Isaac Parker.
"	July 4.	Patty, dau. of Cornelius Hinds.
"	Aug. 9.	Lydia dau. of Joseph Robinson.
"	" 16.	Crocker, son of Eben^{r} Nigh.
"	Sept. 6.	Margaret, dau. of Jacob Patterson.
"	Oct. 25.	Hannah, dau. of Moses Boyden.
"	Dec. 13.	Noah, son of Noah Mandell.
1773.	Jan. 24.	Elizabeth, dau. of Seth Perry. (Born Nov. 30, 1772.)
"	Feb. 7.	Elizabeth, dau. of Ezra Jones.
"	Feb. 28.	Robert, son of Wm. Cunningham.
"	Mar. 14.	Calvin, son of Ichabod Robinson.
"	Apr. 4.	Mercy, dau. of Jona Fletcher.
"	" 11.	John, son of John Patterson.
"	May 16.	Freelove, dau. of Eben^{r} Johnson.
"	June 13.	Brooks, son of Abijah Jenison.
"	" 27.	Prescot, son of Elijah Robinson.
"	July 18.	Rebecca, dau. of Saml Carruth.
"	" 25.	Rachel, dau. of Elijah Gregory.
"	Aug. 29.	Jacob, son of David Patterson.
"	Sept. 19.	Bathsheba, dau. of Simeon Nye [Nigh].
"	" "	Alice, dau. of Simeon Nye.
"	Oct. 10.	Ephraim, son of Eph^{m} Bacon.
"	Oct. 17.	Troa, son of Benoni Shurtleff.
"	" 31.	Joshua, son of Barnabas Myrick.
1774,	Jan. 2.	Alford, son of John Barret.
"	" "	Elizabeth, dau. of Geo. Caldwell.
"	Feb. 20.	Ebenezer, son of Jona. Bullard.
"	" "	Mary, dau. of Simeon Nye.
"	Apr. 17.	Billey Lusan[?], son of Phillip Boyn.
"	" "	Betty, dau. of Joseph Robinson.
"	May 15.	Samuel, son of Saml Forbes.
"	" 29.	Enos, son of Joseph Parker.
"	June 26.	Hutchinson, son of Jacob Patterson.
"	July 31.	Archibald, son of John Black.
"	" "	Katy, dau. of Jona. Gates.

1774,	Aug. 14.	Mercy, dau. of Josiah Dana.
"	" 21.	Levi, son of Joseph Reed.
"	" 28.	Achsah, dau. of Eben[r] Nye.
"	Oct. 9.	Reuben, son of Jeduthan Holden.
"	" 23.	Mehitable, dau. of Matthew Caldwell.
1775,	Jan. 15.	Zenas, twin son of Barna Myrick.
"	Jan. 15.	Katy, twin dau. of Barna Myrick.
"	" 22.	Daniel, son of Ichabod Robinson.
"	" "	Martha, dau. of Wm. Cunningham.
"	Feb. 1.	Mary, twin dau. of John Fellows.
"	" 1.	Elizabeth," " " "
"	" 12.	Samuel, son of Abijah Jenison.
"	Mar. 5.	Patty, dau. of Sam[l] Carruth.
"	" 12.	John, son of Benj. Nye.
"	Apr. 10.	Peletiah Man, son of Dan Hawes.
"	" "	David, son of Eben[r] Johnson.
"	" 30.	John, son of James Hamilton.
"	May 7.	Katherine, dau. of Samuel Lee.
"	" "	Hannah, dau. of Elijah Gregory.
"	" 21.	Salmon, son of Samson Bixby.
"	June 4.	Sawyer, son of Daniel Rice.
"	July 16.	Jerusha, dau. of Seth Perry.
"	Aug. 20.	Francis, son of Noah Mandell.
"	" "	Lemuel, son of Daniel Parlin.
"	Sept. 17.	Charlotte, dau. of Phillip Boyn.
"	Oct. 3.	Jacob, son of Jacob Williams.
"	Nov. 19.	Hubbard, son of Ezek. Woodbury.
"	Dec. 3.	Lucinda, dau. of Benoni Shurtleff.
"	" 31.	Allice, dau. of Wm. Wilson.
1776,	Mar. 3.	Cornelius, son of Corn[l] Hinds.
"	" 26.	Sarah, dau. of Adam Henry.
"	Apr. 14.	Rebeckah, dau. of Joseph Robinson.
"	" 28.	Katy, dau. of Elijah Robinson.
"	June 30.	John Ruggles, son of Simeon Nye.
"	Aug. 4.	Jane, dau. of John Black.
"	Sept. 1.	William, son of Joseph Reed.
"	" 22.	Abijah, son of Abijah Jenison.
"	Oct. 13.	Sarah, dau. of Jona. Hemenway.
"	" 20.	Joseph, son of Jonas Carruth.
"	Nov. 24.	Aaron, son of Jona. Gates.
"	Dec. 8.	Ebenezer, son of Eben[r] Nye.
"	" "	Joshua, son of Joseph Parker.
"	" 23.	Katherine, dau. of Barnabas Myrick.
"	" "	Patty, dau. of Phillip Boyns.
"	Dec. 29.	Benjamin Miles, son of Wm. Forbes Jr.
1777,	Jan. 12.	Anna, dau. of Sam[l] Forbes.
"	Feb. 23.	Moses, son of Jeduthan Holden.
"	Mar. 2.	Lucy, dau. of Noah Leonard.
"	" 26.	John, son of Elisha Broad.
"	" "	Thankful Fisher, dau. of Elisha Broad.
"	" "	Nabby, dau. of " "
"	" "	Lucy, dau. of " "
"	Apr. 13.	John, son of Ezek. Woodbury.

1777,	Apr. 13.	Elijah, son of Elijah Gregory.
"	June 22.	Mary, dau. of Oliver Strickland.
"	" 29.	Martha, dau. of Jona. Hemenway.
"	July 13.	William, son of Wm. Cunningham.
"	" 20.	Elijah, son of Ebenezer Johnson.
"	Aug. 24.	Katy, dau. of Timo. Hastens.
"	Oct. 12.	Susanna, dau. of Sam[l] Lee.
"	" 19.	Martha, dau. of Rob[t] Nichols.
"	" 26.	James, son of Elisha Broad.
"	Nov. 16.	Mercy, dau. of Noah Mandell.
"	" 23.	Sarah, dau. of Wm. King.
"	" 30.	Joseph, son of Joseph Robinson.
1778,	Jan. 11.	Abigail, dau. of Ichabod Robinson.
"	" 18.	Lucy, dau. of Wm. Wilson.
"	Mar. 8.	Ezek[l] Goldthwait, son of James Bridgham.
"	Apr. 12.	Nathan, son of Joseph Parker.
"	" "	Josiah, son of Abijah Jenison.
"	June 14.	Margaret, dau. of Sam[l] Carruth.
"	Aug 16.	Ame, dau. of Jona. Fletcher.
"	Sept. 6.	Mary, dau. of Moses Caldwell.
"	" 13.	John Winslow, son of John Chamberlain.
"	" "	Achsah, dau. of John Chamberlain.
"	" 20.	Joseph, son of David Rice.
"	Oct. 18.	Josiah, son of Benj. Holden.
"	" "	Sarah Caldwell, dau. of John Black.
"	Nov. 8.	Benjamin, son of Lydia Barrett.
"	" 8.	Lydia. dau. of Lemuel Osgood.
"	" 8.	Susanna, dau. of " "

[To be concluded.]

PROCEEDINGS OF THE NEW-ENGLAND HISTORIC GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY.

By Geo. A. Gordon, Recording Secretary.

Boston, Massachusetts, 3 June, 1903. The Society held a special meeting in Marshall P. Wilder Hall, this afternoon, at half-past two o'clock, agreeable to the vote of the stated meeting on 6 May. The President, Hon. James Phinney Baxter, A.M., occupied the chair.

The chairman of the committee on the *Boston Tea Party*, William Carver Bates, Esq., presented the report of the committee, which was fortified by a valuable and convincing paper prepared by Edward Webster McGlenen, Esq., of the committee, and a historical sketch of the contemporary events of that day by Rev. Anson Titus, also of the committee. The report, with accompanying papers, was received, accepted, and ordered on file.

The decease of John Joseph May, a member since 1859, was announced, and, on motion, the meeting

Voted, That the committee on deceased members, appointed at the stated meeting in May, be increased by the appointment of Almon Danforth Hodges, Jr., and Aaron Sargent as additional members, and the committee be charged with the duty of preparing and reporting resolutions expressive of the regard of the Society for the memory of the late John Jacob May, as well as for Admiral Belknap, John Tyler Hassam and William Sumner Appleton.

Nothing farther being presented for action, the meeting, on motion, voted to dissolve.

NOTES AND QUERIES.

Notes.

Memoir of Moses Kimball.—By some inadvertance, the marriage of Moses Kimball was omitted from the memoir printed in the Register, *ante*, Vol. 56, page 335.

He married, June 25, 1834, Frances L. A., daughter of John Hathaway, a merchant of Boston. They had seven children, of whom two sons and one daughter died in childhood. Four daughters, Helen Frances, Margaret, wife of Charles Amos Cummings, Hannah Hathaway, and Lulu Stacy, survived their parents.

Mrs. Kimball was born in Dighton, Mass., where the Hathaway family had lived for several generations, the first ancester, Nicholas,[1] having come to America about 1638, and been one of the original settlers of Taunton, where his son John[2] became a prominent citizen. John's youngest son, Ephraim,[3] settled in Dighton, and the line from him was through Ephraim,[4] Ephraim,[5] John,[6] John,[7] to Frances.[8] Other ancestors, belonging to prominent families of the Old Colony, were Leonard, Talbot, Carey, Godfrey, Shaw, Simmons, Allen, Trafton, Kingsley, Crane, Partridge, Phillips.

Her mother, Hannah Coles, was partly of Dutch extraction, one ancestor being the well-known Anneke Jans, wife of Domine Bogardus, first pastor of New Amsterdam, now New York. H. F. K.

A Bit of Boston History.—The following is from the original deposition, in the possession of this Society:

Jonathan Armitage Aged about Sixty Seven years Declareth and Saith That in the Year One Thousand Six hundred and Eighty Eight The Declarants Unkle Timothy Armitage had a Ship Built by Edmund Perkins Shipwright which Ship was Erected and Built on the Land before the Front of Mr Bendalls Dwellinghouse and Launched the Same Year and that this Declarant went to Sea in the Said Ship as Cabbin Boy. That no wharff was Built or Guns planted on the Land before the Dwelling house then called Bendalls Dwellinghouse or where the Ship Yard was And that as the Declarant remembers Mr Perkins dyed in the year Sixteen hundred and Ninety three And then Mr William Slack took the Ship Yard, and built Vefsells there Untill the Year Sixteen hundred and Ninety Six and that in the Year Sixteen hundred and Ninety Seven there was a wharff Built and a tire of Guns planted before the Ship Yard and and it was Generally reported to be built by the Town And further this Declarant Adds that Scarletts wharff had a Brest work Erected on it and Guns planted there and that Greenwoods Wharff was also prepared to receive Cannon on it.

Jonª Armitage

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Sworn to in the Superiour Court at Bofton, Auguft 1743
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[See Case of Jacob Wendell, Mass. Supreme Court Files, term of August, 1743, No. 57418; also, Boston Rec. Com. Rep., No. 14, pp. 31-3.—Editor.

New England Colonists from St. Albans, Hertfordshire, England.—The ship "Planter" in 1635 brought a number of passengers to New England, stated to be from St. Albans (See Hotten's Lists, p. 45). The published Parish Registers of St. Albans Abbey show that other founders of New England were from this Hertfordshire town. It is evident that Zachary Fitch of Reading, Mass., and Robert Long of Charlestown, Mass., at one time lived there, and further investigation may show that the Kilby, Shrimpton and Stanbridge families of Boston, and the Wooley family of Concord, derived from the same place. The registers begin in 1558. They show a William Fitch who had a son Hugh, bapt. March 14, 1563-4. Hugh Fitch married, Sept. 13, 1585, Anne Smith, who was bapt. Sept. 25, 1567, dau. of John and Joane (Roise) Smith. Hugh was buried Apr. 14, 1620. The children of Hugh and Anne Fitch were: *Mary*, bapt. Feb. 12, 1586-7; *John*, bapt. Oct. 13, 1588; *Jeremie*, bapt. Jan. 25, 1589-90;

Zacherie, bapt. Jan. 16, 1591-2; *Anne*, bapt. Jan. 6, 1593-4, d. Apr. 26, 1608. Zacherie Fitch, undoubtedly the emigrant to New England, had by wife Mary the following children recorded in St. Albans: *John*, bapt. Apr. 8, 1621; *Jeremie*, bapt. May 5, 1622; *Mary*, bapt. Sept. 7, 1623; *Zacherie*, bapt. June 25, 1626; *Thomas*, bapt. Oct. 26, 1628; *a child*, bapt. Dec. 21, 1630; *Sarah*, bapt. June 20, 1632-3; *Robert*, bapt. Mar. 4, 1634-5, perhaps the infant who was buried Feb. 18, 1636-7. This family then disappear from the St. Albans registers, and it is probable that they came to New England in 1637, as Zacherie the father was admitted freeman Sept. 7, 1638, this being the first record of him in this country. For an account of him and his descendants, see REGISTER, Vol. 55, p. 288, *et seq.* Pope's "Pioneers of Mass." states that Zacherie Fitch of Reading deposed Apr. 2, 1661, that he was aged about 70 years, which practically agrees with his baptism. On a bond signed about 1620 by Zacherie Fitch of St. Albans, his occupation is given as glover.

Robert Long, of St. Albans, was married Oct. 3, 1614, to Sarah Taylor, who was bapt. May 29, 1595, daughter of John and Margaret (Willmote) Taylor. Their children, recorded in the Abbey registers, were: *Michale*, bapt. July 30, 1615; *Sarah*, bapt. Oct. 13, 1616; *Robert*, bapt. Jan. 17, 1618-9; *Elizabeth*, bapt. Nov. 14, 1621; *Anne*, bapt. June 1, 1623; *Martha* (should be *Mary*), bapt. Sept. 5, 1627; *John*, bapt. Feb. 10, 1628-9. This is the last record of the family in St. Albans registers; and they moved to Dunstable, Bedfordshire, where *Zacherie* was bapt. Oct. 20, 1630. Robert's wife Sarah died at the latter place, and was buried Dec. 12, 1631. He married a second wife Elizabeth, who came with him to America, in the "Defence" in 1635, his age being given 45, his wife's age 30, and the children's ages, Michael 20, Sarah 18, Robert 16, Elizabeth 12, Anne 10, Mary 9, Rebecca 8, John 6, Zacherie 4, and Joshua 9 months. Rebecca's baptism is not recorded.

A Robert Proctor, son of Robert and Sarah (Fletcher) Proctor, was bapt. in St. Albans in 1624, and does not appear further in the registers. He possibly may be the Robert Proctor of Concord and Chelmsford, Mass. Robert Proctor the father was buried in St. Albans, Sept. 26, 1647.

Boston, Mass. J. GARDNER BARTLETT.

ABINGTON, MASS., GRAVESTONES.—In one corner of the Abington, Mass., Cemetery are three rows of old gravestones that have been moved from other parts of the cemetery, apparently to permit the laying out of the rest of the ground in regular lots. Among these stones are two that are of great interest to anyone looking up the Cobb family, as they give the date of death of John Cobb of Abington, and of Sarah (Derby, Dyer) Cobb, his wife, parents of Capt. Edward Cobb of Abington, the inscriptions being as follows:

Here Lies Buried | the Body of | Mr John Cobb | who Died April | 29th 1743 in ye | 45th year of | his Age

Here Lies Buried | ye Body of Mrs | Sarah Cobb | wife of Mr | John Cobb | who died July | [1]737 in ye 45th | ex

The first stone is standing, and in good condition. The second was lying face up, nearly covered with dirt, and is badly broken. The lower part of the figure 3 in the year is gone, but it is evidently a 3, and Sarah Derby was born June 19, 1693. The day of the month is missing, and while searching for broken pieces that might supply those figures, a small stone was found, buried under a pile of rubbish, which is liable to be lost at any time.

This is a small plain stone, with the inscription rudely carved, and reads as follows:

HERE BVRD | ABIJAH | SHAW SON | TO JOSHVA | & SARAH SH | AW BORN MAY | y 2 D y 16 | 1738.

I presume Abijah Shaw was an infant recorded as born May 2, and died May 16, 1738. EDW. H. WHORF.

Boston, Mass.

PARTRIDGE—KEMP—THACHER—SEABURY.—Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Ralph Partridge of Duxbury, was married first to William Kemp, who was of Duxbury, Jan. 7, 1638-9; proposed freeman March 5, of the same year; and who died before Nov. 2, 1641, when his widow Elizabeth was granted administration

on his estate. By her first husband, William Kemp, she had *Patience*, her eldest daughter, who, Nov. 16, 1660 (town record), was married to Samuel Seabury, physician, of Duxbury. The widow Elizabeth (Partridge) Kemp was married May 11, 1643 (Thacher's Thacher Fam.), to Thomas Thacher, physician, and afterwards pastor of Weymouth, being his first wife and the mother of his children. See Plymouth Col. Rec., and, in particular, the grant of land to Samuel Seabury "son-in-law" of William Kemp; will of Rev. Ralph Partridge, REGISTER, Vol. 47, p. 279; compare diary of Rev. Peter Thacher (Hist. of Milton, p. 279). A comparison of dates leaves no doubt of this family connection as stated. HENRY A. PARKER.
Cambridge, Mass.

QUERIES.

TOWN.—Was Asa Town, born in 1749 at Oxford, Mass., and descended from William and Joanna (Blessing) Town, he who had a son Asa, born in 1772 at Vershire, Vt.? This last Asa (b. 1772) lived and died in Stowe, Vt., and had uncles Edmund and Ephraim, one or both of whom served in the Revolution.
Amboy, Ill. (Miss) E. M. KINNEY.

CHAMBERLAIN.—Wanted, proof of the ancestry of Experience, born about 1666, wife of Jacob Chamberlain, who lived at Medford, Mass., from 1686 to 1692. She is first mentioned in Medford town records, 19 Feb., 1691-2, where her first child was born. She died at Newton, Mass., 24 May, 1749, aged 83 years, 2 months, 2 days, according to her grave stone.
Weymouth, Mass. GEO. W. CHAMBERLAIN.

WEEDEN.—Ancestry wanted of Caleb Weeden and wife Lydia ——, who had a daughter Mercy, born in South Kingtsown, R. I., Sept. 24, 1750; also, a complete record of his children. EUGENE F. WEEDEN.
Somersworth, N. H.

HUSTED.—Ancestry wanted of Andrew Husted, born May 22, 1755, in Conn. or near New York City. GLENN E. HUSTED.
Dept. of Justice, Washington, D. C.

Ancestry wanted of the following:

GUILFORD.—Benjamin Guilford of Danvers, who married Lydia Goodale, Mar. 17, 1755.

HART.—Abigail (or Ruth) Hart, who married Samuel Marble, in 1734.

LEECH.—Lydia Leech, who married Capt. Benjamin Houlton, in Danvers, 1708.

GUILFORD.—Were Benjamin, William, John and Joseph Guilford of Danvers and Salem, about 1725 to 1750, brothers or cousins?
15 Milk Street, Boston, Mass. W. W. GUILFORD.

WOOD.—The marriage intention was published at Westborough, Mass., Apr. 4, 1759, between William Wood of Westborough, and Susanna How of Middleton, Mass. What was the ancestry of Susanna How?

Josiah, son of Thompson and Martha Wood, and father of William of Westborough, named above, was born at Framingham, Mass., May 29, 1701. He had children by wife Bathsheba, born at Pomfret, Conn., as follows: 1. *Martha*, b. Dec. 23, 1725. 2. *Jane*, b. July 26, 1727. 3. *William*, b. Oct. 17, 1729. 4. *Ebenezer*, b. June 16, 1730-1. 5. *Isaiah*, b. Feb. 12, 1732-3. 6. *William* (named above), b. Aug. 31, 1735. 7. *Hannah*, b. June 28, 1737-8. What was the ancestry of Bathsheba, wife of Isaiah of Pomfret? EDWIN A. HILL.
Patent Office, Washington, D. C.

SMITH.—Lieut. James Smith, of Walpole, m. July 25, 1728, Hannah, dau. of Capt. John and Martha (Holden) Boyden. Where and when was he born, who were his parents, and where can his war record be found? Was he a descendant of Christopher and Mary (Fairbanks) Smith of Dedham?
166 Washington St., Lynn, Mass. (Mrs.) A. M. PICKFORD.

JOHNSON-EALES.—In the Dorchester town records (Boston Rec. Com. Rep., vol. 4) mention is made of "Mr. Johnson" at various dates down to Sept. 1, 1634. Under date of 27 June, 1636, "Mrs. Johnson that was" was granted "on acre of medowe next Goodman Eales Pale." On the page following this entry appears "The names of such as are to have medow in the Marsh by Goodman Greenways." There is no date to the list, and it is uncertain whether or not it is a part of the record of June 27. The last name in the list is that of "John Eales," who was given "2 acres betweene that medow he hath of Mr Johnson and the Creeke."

What were the names of Mrs. Johnson and her husband, and did she marry John Eales for her second husband? FRANK FARNSWORTH STARR.

Middletown, Conn.

CROWE, or CROWELL.—John[3] (John,[2] Yelverton[1]), born in 1689, married either Alice or Olive Gross, or Groce. Some records give "Alice," and some "Olive." The Hist. of Hingham, Mass., states that "John Crowell of Eastham or Truro m. (pub. in Hing. Ang. 21, 1714) Alice Groce, dau. of Simon and Mary (Bond) Groce. She was b. in Hing. Apr. 26, 1689. Child b. in Hing., Abigail, June 3, 1715." He probably moved to Eastham, as the Eastham records have "Abigail Crowell, dau. of John and Alice Crowell, b. 3d June, 1715; and Jabez, son, born 4th June, 1717." He then removed presumably to Chatham, and had other children. Wanted, the names of his other children?

A Rhoda Crowell was born in Chatham about 1733, and married John Williams, in Rochester, Mass., in 1752. They moved to Williamsburg, Mass., and named a son Gross Crowell. Was Rhoda a daughter of John and Alice (Groce) Crowell? JOHN OLIVER WILLIAMS.

161 West 75th St., New York City.

CLARK.—Who were the parents of Frederick Mortimer Clark, or Frederick Clark, who was born at Wethersfield, Conn., July 24, 1768, and married at Stonington, Conn., Dec. 12, 1796, Maria Edwards, who was born at Stonington, Conn., Jan. 20, 1777, and died at Troy, N. Y., May 2, 1812.

47 Vick Park "B," Rochester, N. Y. HUGH E. CLARK.

REPLIES.

GIFFORD (*ante*, Vol. 55, page 444).—For parentage and data of Prince Gifford, who m. 10 Apr., 1805, Sylvia Wing, see my Gifford Genealogy, page 78.

For issue of Job and Martha (Wilcox) Gifford (*ante*, Vol. 56, page 92), see my Gifford Genealogy, Branch 2, Mass. Branch. E. H. GIFFORD.

New Bedford, Mass.

OVERING (*ante*, page 335).—As the arms *argent, a broken spear bendwise between two spur rowels of six points azure, pierced of the field*, are given in Papworth as those of Achmuty, or Auchmuty, and as John Overing, who is said to have come to Boston about 1720, and to have been related to the family of St. John, Lords Bolingbroke (see Annals of King's Chapel, Boston, Vol. 2, p. 153), married Henrietta, daughter of Robert Auchmuty (see REGISTER, *ante*, Vol. 12, pp. 69-71) of Boston, Judge of the Admiralty, I infer that the armorial seal was his. John Overing was Attorney General of the Province (Massachusetts), 1722, 1728-33, 40-41, 43-47, and died on Thursday (a Thanksgiving day), 24 Nov., 1748 (o.s.), aged 54.

The King's Chapel registers give a number of Overing records, but nothing to connect John, the Attorney General, with Capt. Henry, of Newport, R. I., although a Mary Juliana Overing of Newport, who would seem to have been John's daughter Mary mentioned in his will (Suffolk Co. Probate, No. 9140), was buried from King's Chapel, 23 Sept., 1811, aged 77. Elizabeth, another daughter of John, married John Wilson (Harvard College, 1741), physician, of Hopkinton, Mass. Two sons of John, Robert and John, survived him, and one of them may have been the father of Capt. Henry, of Newport. It was evidently the Attorney General who resided for a time in Lexington, and the deaths there recorded were doubtless of his family, as 1738 was the year of the throat distemper, which

caused the death of many children. A daughter Henrietta, presumably his second of that name, was baptized in King's Chapel, 11 Jan., 1739-40; the last previous baptism there recorded of the family having been of his son Robert Loftus, 22 Sept., 1726. H. E. W.

Historical Intelligence.

The Rogerenes.—In response to a distinct call for an authenticated history of the "Rogerenes," a work bearing upon the subject has been prepared for the press. The attention of students of Colonial and church history is called to this only true account of a sect which stood unique among denominations, by its close adherence to New Testament teachings and its heroic opposition to the union of Church and State.

Hitherto these remarkable people have been presented to the public chiefly through vague traditions, malicious fabrications and gross exaggerations, which have been published as facts by ecclesiastical writers. The material to be published for the first time in this work has been secured by a thorough examination of the records of three Colonial courts before which the Rogerene leaders were tried (General, Superior and County), and of contemporaneous writings of a reliable character. The work is to be in three parts, as follows: Part I.—A vindication, by John R. Bolles, in seven chapters. Part II.—History of the Rogerenes, by Anna B. Williams, in fourteen chapters. Part III.—Appendix, containing many extracts from Rogerene writings.

The work will be published when subscriptions for an edition of 300 copies have been received. It will be 8vo, printed on fine paper, and handsomely bound in cloth. Address all correspondence to A. B. Williams, 32 Walnut Street, Springfield, Mass.

Wroxall Abbey.—The records of the Abbey and Manor, in Warwickshire, England, by John William Ryland, F.S.A., will soon be issued by Messrs. Spottiswoode & Co., Ltd., New-street Square, E.C., London. Wroxall Abbey was for nearly 400 years a Monastic Foundation for Nuns of the Order of St. Benedict, where many members of the County Families sought refuge from the troubles of the outside world. It was afterwards the seat of the family of Burgoyne, followed by that of Sir Christopher Wren, and later of the Dugdales.

The proposed work consists of four parts: (1) Records of Wroxall, gathered from the Record Office, British Museum, Episcopal registers, etc. (2) Extracts from the Trust Deeds of Wroxall Charity Estates, etc. (3) Extracts from Muniments of Wroxall Abbey. (4) Church Register, 1586 to 1812 (separately paged and indexed). All the deeds have been collated in chronological order and elaborately indexed. It is to be printed on hand-made paper in folio size, profusely illustrated, including facsimiles of ancient deeds, arms of County families, and views of old and new Abbey. From its interesting associations the history of Wroxall Abbey forms a very valuable addition to the history of the County, and as the issue is limited to 100 copies only (numbered), the book is likely to become increasingly valuable, and orders should be sent in without delay. For particulars and subscription blanks, address the publishers.

Genealogies in Preparation.—Persons of the several names are advised to furnish the compilers of these genealogies with records of their own families and other information which they think may be useful. We would suggest that all facts of interest illustrating family history or character be communicated, especially service under the U. S. Government, the holding of other offices, graduation from college or professional schools, occupation, with places and dates of birth, marriage, residence and death. When there are more than one christian name they should all be given in full, if possible. No initials should be used when the full name is known.

Pomeroy.—Mrs. Henry Thorp Bulkley, of Southport, Conn., is collecting material for the Pomeroy Genealogy begun by the late Dr. W. W. Rodman. She will be very grateful for any information regarding the family, from any one interested.

BOOK NOTICES.*

[THE editor requests persons sending books for notice to state, for the information of readers, the price of each book, with the amount to be added for postage when sent by mail.]

Genealogy of the Descendants of William Chesebrough of Boston, Rehoboth, Mass. The Founder and First White Settler of Stonington, Conn., born 1594, in or near Boston, England, and died 1667, Stonington, Conn. He sailed from Cowes, England, in good ship "Arbella" (of Gov. Winthrop's Massachusetts Bay Company), March 29, 1630, and arrived in Salem, Mass., New England, America, June 14, 1630. By ANNA CHESEBROUGH WILDEY. Illustrated. New York: Press of T. A. Wright. 1903. 8vo. pp. 686. Price $5.00, cloth; $7.50, half morocco. Apply to author, P. O. Box 18, Station N, New York.

This genealogy consists of three parts devoted respectively to the descendants of Samuel, of Nathaniel, and of Elisha Chesebrough, sons of the immigrant William, of whom a biographical sketch is furnished by Rev. Amos S. Chesebrough, D.D., and a fourth part, the appendix, containing "incomplete pedigrees, lineages, war records, wills, deeds, etc." The index of one hundred and twenty-six pages is a good example of the thoroughness evident throughout the work. The allied families, to which the greatest space is allotted, are Avery, Babcock, Brown, Crary, Dennison, Hewitt, Langworthy, Miner, Noyes, Palmer, Rathbone, Smith, Stanton, Swan, Thompson and Williams. The print, binding and illustrations are commendable.

The Kelloggs in the Old World and the New. BY TIMOTHY HOPKINS. Sunset Press and Photo Engraving Co., San Francisco, California. 1903. 3 Vols. L 8vo. pp. 2321. Ill.

The first two volumes of this interesting genealogy treat of the descendants of Nathaniel Kellogg of Hartford (1640) and Farmington, Conn., Joseph Kellogg of Farmington (1651), Daniel Kellogg of Norwalk (1651), and Samuel Kellogg of Hadley, Mass. (1664), four brothers; the third volume is devoted to a most complete index. The discovery of the will, dated 1671, of Martin Kellocke of Braintree, Co. Suffolk, England, their father, establishes the English connection of the family. The Appendix to Vol. 2 contains lines of the family whose connection with the main stem has not been clearly established, also the Revolutionary services of the Kelloggs. A previous notice of this valuable work was incomplete as to all the brothers represented.

The Stocking Ancestry. Comprising the Descendants of George Stocking, Founder of the American Family. Edited and Published by Rev. CHARLES HENRY WRIGHT STOCKING, D.D. [Chicago, Ill.] The Lakeside Press. Large 8vo. pp. 205. Ill. Copies to be obtained of the author, Vincennes, Indiana.

George Stocking came from England to Cambridge, Mass., in 1633; afterwards, having joined the company of the Rev. Thomas Hooker, he became one of the founders of Hartford, Conn. The records of the family are here thoroughly and attractively presented. Biographical sketches are found on every page, and the work is a careful and practically complete history of the Stockings of America. The paper is good and the print is clear. There are two indexes.

On page 1, the author desires to insert the word *probably* in the statement that George Stocking descended from the Stockingham line.

The Nicholas White Family. 1643-1900. Compiled by THOMAS J. LOTHROP, A.B. Taunton, Mass. 1902. 8vo. pp. 493. Price $5.00. For sale by C. A. Hack & Son, Taunton.

Nicholas White, whose descendants to the seventh generation are recorded in this volume, was a freeman in Dorchester, Mass., in 1643, and in or before the year 1657 he removed to Taunton. Evidently no sources of information have been neglected in this work. Prominent members of the family receive proper biographical notices. Admirably plain and substantial binding, clear type, and a full index increase the merits of the publication.

*All of the unsigned reviews are written by Mr. FREDERICK WILLARD PARKS of Boston.

Remarks on the Character of William Sumner Appleton, A.M. Made at a meeting of the Massachsetts Historical Society, May 14, 1903. By the Rev. EDMUND F. SLAFTER, D.D. Reprinted from the Proceedings of the Massachusetts Historical Society. Cambridge: John Wilson and Son. University Press. 1903. 8vo. pp. 8.

Mr. Slafter's summary of Mr. Appleton's qualities, as displayed in his favorite pursuits, genealogy, heraldry and numismatics, is most complete.

Stephen Bachiler and the Plough Company of 1630. By V. C. SANBORN. Reprinted from the *Genealogist*, Vol. xix, April, 1903. Exeter [Eng.]: William Pollard & Co. Ltd., Printers, North St. 1903. 8vo. pp. 15.

The Rev. Stephen Bachiler was pastor of a small body of Dissenters called the "Company of the Plough," whose fortunes in coming to New England were disastrous. The principal facts respecting them are here recorded.

The Life and Ancestry of Francis Douglas, Bookseller and Author of Aberdeen and Paisley, Scotland. By WALTER KENDALL WATKINS. Privately printed. Boston, U. S. A. 1903. 8vo. pp. 37. Ill.

This book shows the thoroughness and genealogical skill of the author. The subject of the extensive investigations seems to have merited this tribute, as shown by the estimate of his contemporaries, particularly expressed in the letters of the Chalmers brothers and by frequent allusions to his works in various Scottish local histories. Mr. Watkins's text is fittingly accompanied by illustrations of unusual excellence.

Correspondence of John Sedgwick, Major-General. Volume II. Printed for Carl and Ellen Battelle Stoeckel. [The De Vinne Press.] 1903. 8vo. pp. 244. Portrait.

These letters, edited by Carl Stoeckel of Norfolk, are nearly all addressed to Gen. Sedgwick's sister, Mrs. Welch. They are simple in style and frank in expression of opinion. As Sedgwick was one of the eminent commanders in the Civil War, such a record of his judgments of men and affairs as is afforded in these letters is of great value. The volume includes the oration delivered by George William Curtis at the dedication of the statue at West Point. Typographically the book is perfect.

New England Library of Genealogy and Personal History. This Volume of the New England Library contains Genealogy and History of Representative Citizens of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Compiled under the Editorial Supervision of CHARLES EDWIN HURD, Literary Editor of the Boston *Transcript*. Boston: New England Historical Publishing Co. 1902. Square 4to. pp. 835. Ill.

This handsomely bound and admirably printed volume contains nearly eighty portraits—photogravures, steel engravings and half-tones—and nearly four hundred sketches, of men of eminent Massachusetts families, with their genealogies. Personal details have been furnished by the subjects of the notices, and the publishers have supplied the genealogical additions. The illustrations are commendably fine.

Early Irish in Old Albany, N. Y., with special Mention of Jan Andriesson, "De Riersman Van Dublingh." By Hon. FRANKLIN M. DANAHER. Paper read before the American-Irish Historical Society at the Annual Meeting of the latter in New York City, Jan. 19, 1903. Boston, Mass.: The American-Irish Historical Society. 1903. 8vo. pp. 44. Portrait.

The "Jan Andriessen" (John Anderson) of whom "special mention" is made in these sketches, has also been commemorated in a separate work, which was noticed in the REGISTER for July. The other Irishmen noticed in this pamphlet are equally worthy of remembrance in respect to their share in the making of the American nation.

The Narrative of the Captivity and Restoration of Mrs. Mary Rowlandson. First printed in 1682 at Cambridge, Massachusetts, and London, England. Now reprinted in Fac-simile. Whereunto are annexed a Map of her Removes, Biographical and Historical Notes, and the last Sermon of her Husband, Rev. Joseph

Rowlandson. Lancaster, Mass. 1903. 4to. pp. 158. Ill.

This is a beautiful reproduction, by photographic process, of the second edition of a work which has retained public favor longer than any other contemporaneous publication. The Notes are numerous and very instructive; and they, together with the Bibliography and the Sermon, cover more than seventy pages. The preface is signed by Henry Stedman Nourse and John Eliot Thayer.

David Williams and the Capture of Andre. A Paper Read before the Tarrytown Historical Society, by MARCIUS D. RAYMOND, Jan. 15th, 1903. n. p. [1903.] Large 8vo. pp. 20. Ill.

David Williams was the last survivor of the three captors of Major Andre. His narrative of the capture is included in this paper, whose well-authenticated details are of much interest.

A Sketch of the Life of James A. Woodbury. Written for the Winchester Historical Society, Winchester, Mass., by LORA A. (WOODBURY) UNDERHILL. 1903. Winchester Star Job Print, Winchester, Mass. 8vo. pp. 18. Ill.

With a genealogical introduction, this pamphlet gives the principal events in the career of a man of remarkable mechanical talents.

Biographical Sketches of the Graduates of Yale College, with Annals of the College History. Vol. III. May, 1763–July, 1778. By FRANKLIN BOWDITCH DEXTER, Litt.D. New York: Henry Holt and Co. 1903. 4to. pp. 726.

The second volume of this work, published in 1896, was reviewed in the REGISTER at that time. The plan of the present volume is identical with that of its predecessor, and it only remains to say that it contains notices of four hundred and eighty-four graduates, embodying all the materials not unavoidably excluded by the author's limitations.

The Historical Bulletin. Devoted to Patriotic Genealogy. June, 1903. Published monthly at 1006 F St., Washington, D. C., Room 16. 8vo. pp. 73–88.

Systematic History Fund. Vital Records of Barre, Massachusetts, to the end of the Year 1849. Worcester, Mass.: Published by Franklin P. Rice, Trustee of the Fund. 1903. 8vo. Cloth. pp. 276.

Vital Records of Bedford, Massachusetts, to the Year 1850. Published by the New-England Historic Genealogical Society, at the charge of the Eddy Town-Record Fund. Boston, Mass. 1903. 8vo. Cloth. pp. 142.

Systematic History Fund. Vital Records of Millbury, Massachusetts, to the end of the Year 1849. Worcester, Mass.: Published by Franklin P. Rice, Trustee of the Fund. 1903. 8vo. Cloth.

Systematic History Fund. Vital Records of Southborough, Massachusetts, to the end of the Year 1849. Worcester, Mass.: Published by Franklin P. Rice, Trustee of the Fund. 1903. 8vo. Cloth. pp. 187.

Vital Records of Sudbury, to the Year 1850. Published by the New-England Historic Genealogical Society, at the charge of the Eddy Town-Record Fund. Boston, Mass. 1903. 8vo. Cloth. pp. 332.

Vital Records of Tyringham, Massachusetts, to the Year 1850. Published by the New-England Historic Genealogical Society, at the charge of the Eddy Town-Record Fund. Boston, Mass. 1903. 8vo. Cloth. pp. 108.

Horringer Parish Registers. Baptisms, Marriages and Burials, with Appendixes and Biographical Notes. 1558 to 1850. [Edited by Rev. SYDENHAM HY. AUGUSTUS HERVEY, B.A.] Woodbridge: George Booth, Church St. 1900. 8vo. pp. xv+395. Ill.

Little Saxham Parish Registers. Baptisms, Marriages and Burials, with Appendixes, Biographies, &c. 1559 to 1850. [Edited by Rev. SYDENHAM HY. AUGUSTUS HERVEY, B.A.] Woodbridge: George Booth, Church St. 1901. 8vo. pp. xiv+264. Ill.

Rushbrook Parish Registers. 1567 to 1850. With Jermyn and Davers Annals. [Edited by Rev. SYDENHAM HY. AUGUSTUS HERVEY, B.A.] Woodbridge: George Booth, Church St. 1903. 8vo. pp. viii+486. Ill.

These three volumes of English Parish Registers are distinguished by that

treatment which results from ardent devotion, industry and ability. The appendices abound in historical interest. The genealogical portions include the Lucas and Crofts families, as well as the Jermyn and Davers annals mentioned in the title of the Rushbrook Registers. The illustrations are of superior excellence. Deserving of special mention is the arrangement of the indexes of two of the volumes, giving births, marriages and deaths in parallel columns, and enabling one, in many instances, to trace at a glance the same name through all its records.

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Historic Harpswell. Harpswell, Maine, its Historic Congregational Church and famous Ministers. 1758-1903. By Rev. CHARLES N. SINNETT. Haverhill, Mass.: C. C. Morse & Son. 1903. 8vo. pp. 16.

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Proceedings of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin at its Fifth Annual Meeting, held Dec. 11, 1902. Madison: Published by the Society. 1903. 8vo. pp. 226.

Beside the Society's reports, this publication contains papers on "Gen. Harrison Carroll Hobart," "The Booth War in Ripon," "Reminiscences of the Early Northwest," and "The Wisconsin Phalanx at Ceresco."

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This Annual almost entirely consists of the list of members of the club.

Boston "Banks"—1681–1740—Those who were interested in them. By ANDREW MCFARLAND DAVIS. Boston: Press of David Clapp & Son. 1903. 8vo. pp. 10.

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This paper is written with Mr. Davis's usual thoroughness, and recounts the notable efforts made by the people of New England, from 1681 to 1740, to establish a paper currency.

A Republican Institution in the Town of Boston. A paper read at the Annual Meeting, March 4, 1903. By the President. Boston. 1903. 12mo. pp. 14.

This institution was founded in 1819 for the purpose of uniting political parties at that time of financial distress. Gen. Henry Dearborn was its first President. A list of members from 1851 to 1903 is given.

Reply to "T. W. H." in Boston Advertiser. [By SAMUEL C. SMITH.] n.p. 1903. 12mo. pp. 35.

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The principal contents of this publication are "Governor Isaac Selby," "John J. Audubon," "The Attack on the Spanish Gunboats at Cardenas," "The Migration of Trade Centers," "Governor Christopher Greenup," "Governor James Garrad," and "Proceedings at the Dedication of the Hall in the State Capitol, June 17, 1881."

Napoleon's Sale of Louisiana. By HOSEA STARR BALLOU. Boston, Mass. No. 9, Vol. xxiii. of "Education: Devoted to the Science, Art, Philosophy and Literature of Education." May, 1903. 8vo. pp. 519–534.

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